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54 **Pyrazolidinone CCK and gastrin antagonists and pharmaceutical formulations thereof.**

57 Novel substituted pyrazolidinones have been found to exhibit significant binding to cholecystokinin (CCK) receptors and gastrin receptors in the brain and/or peripheral sites such as the pancreas, stomach, and ileum. The pyrazolidinones are CCK and gastrin receptor antagonists and find therapeutic application in the treatment of gastrointestinal disorders, central nervous system disorders and for appetite regulation in warm-blood vertebrates. Pharmaceutical formulations for such indications are described.

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This invention relates to biologically active pyrazolidinones. More particularly, this invention is directed to certain substituted pyrazolidinones which bind to receptors for cholecystokinin (CCK), e.g., those of the brain and pancreas, and to receptors for gastrin, e.g., those of the stomach. The compounds are CCK and gastrin antagonists and are useful in the treatment and prevention of CCK and gastrin-related disorders of the gastrointestinal, central nervous and appetite regulatory systems of warm-blooded vertebrates, especially humans.

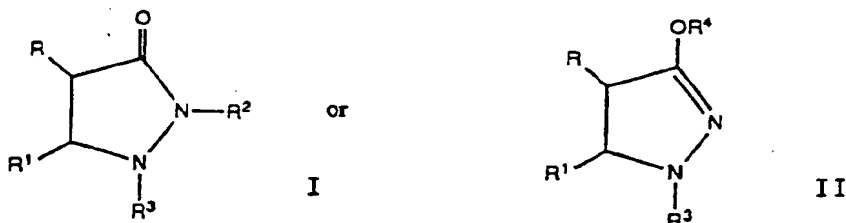
Cholecystokinin (CCK) is a neuropeptide found in both gastrointestinal tissue and the tissues of the central nervous system. CCK is believed to play an important role in appetite regulation. Among the effects of CCK are stimulation of colonic motility, stimulation of gall bladder contraction, stimulation of pancreatic enzyme secretion, and inhibition of gastric emptying. CCK reportedly coexists with dopamine in certain mid-brain neurons and thus may also play a role in the functioning of dopaminergic systems in the brain. Gastrin is a neuropeptide found particularly in the gastrointestinal tract. It is one of the primary natural stimulators of gastric acid secretion. It also has growth stimulatory effects on a variety of gastrointestinal tissues.

CCK and gastrin antagonists are useful in the treatment and prevention of CCK and gastrin-related disorders of the gastrointestinal and central nervous systems, as well as modulation of the appetite regulatory systems of warm-blooded vertebrates. The CCK/gastrin receptor family is thought to contain three receptor subtypes, for which the location of the prototype receptor is given in parentheses: CCK-A (pancreas), CCK-B (brain), and gastrin (stomach fundus).

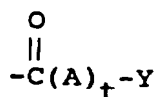
Several classes of CCK receptor antagonists have been reported in the literature. One class comprises derivatives of cyclic nucleotides, for example, dibutyl cyclic GMP. Another art recognized class of CCK antagonists comprise the C-terminal fragments and analogs of CCK. Another class of CCK receptor antagonists are amino acid derivatives including proglumide, a derivative of glutamic acid, and the N-acyltryptophanes such as p-chlorobenzoyl-L-tryptophan. More recently certain substituted amino phenyl compounds were described as CCK antagonists in published European Patent Application 0166355. Because of the wide range of potential clinical applications of CCK binding compounds, intensive research efforts have been ongoing to define other compounds exhibiting CCK receptor binding properties.

This invention is directed to novel pyrazolidinone compounds of Formula I or II below which have been found to exhibit CCK and gastrin antagonist activity. These compounds are useful in the treatment and prevention of CCK-related disorders of the gastrointestinal and central nervous systems, as well as in modulating the appetite regulatory systems of warm-blooded vertebrates, especially humans. As gastrin antagonists, they are particularly useful in the treatment and prevention of gastrointestinal ulcers, and of neoplasms of gastrointestinal origin.

This invention is directed to compounds of the formula



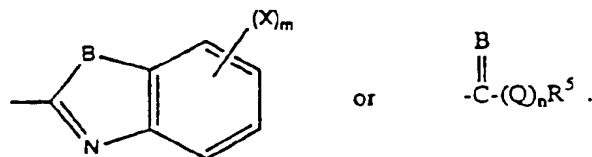
wherein R and R¹ are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, phenyl, benzyl, naphthyl, pyridyl or substituted phenyl having 1, 2, or 3 substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₆ alkylthio, halo, trifluoromethyl, phenyl, phenoxy, phenyl(C₁-C₄ alkyl), phenyl(C₁-C₄ alkoxy), phenylacetyl, C₁-C₆ alkanoyl, cyano, carbamyl, nitro, C₁-C₆ alkoxy-carbonyl, methylenedioxy, C₃-C₆ alkylene, amino, -NH(C₁-C₄ alkyl or benzyl), and N(C₁-C₄ alkyl)₂; R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, C₁-C₄ alkoxy-carbonylmethyl or a group of the formula



wherein t is 1 or 0; A is -CH₂-, -O-, -NH- or -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-; and Y is phenyl or substituted phenyl as defined above;

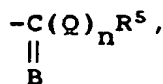
R₄ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, or C₁-C₄ alkoxy-carbonylmethyl;

R₃ is hydrogen or a group of the formula

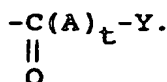


wherein B is O or S; X is selected from the phenyl substituents defined above; m is 0, 1 or 2; n is 0 or 1; Q is -NH-, -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-, -S-, or -O-; and R⁵ is a group of the formula -[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷ wherein R⁶ is hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl; q is 0 or 1; r is 0, 1 or 2; and R⁷ is hydrogen, C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, pentafluorophenyl, pyridyl, tetrahydronaphthyl, indolyl, quinolyl, phenyl, naphthyl, or phenyl or naphthyl substituted with 1, 2, or 3 substituents as defined above for phenyl; or the group -(Q)_nR⁵ is 2-tetrahydroisoquinoliny; and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

provided that at least one of the groups R or R¹ is other than hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl, and R or R¹ is hydrogen only when the other of R and R¹ is substituted phenyl in which the substituent is phenyl; and provided further that at least one of the groups R₂ and R₃ is other than hydrogen, and when R₃ is a group of the formula



R² is other than a group of the formula



In the compounds of Formula I or II, the groups R and R¹ can be in either the *cis* or *trans* configuration relative to the plane of the pyrazolidinone ring. The *trans* configuration, preferred in accordance with the present invention, is indicated to be the thermodynamically favored form.

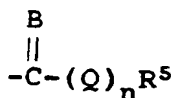
As used herein "halo" refers to fluoro, chloro, or bromo. The term "C₁-C₆ alkyl" includes both straight and branched chain alkyl and cycloalkyl and includes methyl, ethyl, propyl, cyclopropyl, isopropyl, butyl, methylcyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, isobutyl, t-butyl, pentyl, cyclopentyl, neopentyl, hexyl, cyclohexyl, 2-methylpentyl and the like. In the "C₁-C₆ alkoxy" and "C₁-C₆ alkylthio" substituents, the alkyl portion is C₁-C₆ alkyl as defined above. The term "C₁-C₆ alkanoyl" includes formyl, acetyl, propionyl, butyryl, pentanoyl, hexanoyl, and the like.

The term "pharmaceutically acceptable salts" encompasses those salts that form by standard acid-base reactions with basic groups (such as amino groups) and acidic groups, particularly carboxylic acid groups, on the compounds of Formula I or II. Thus, the pharmaceutically acceptable salts of the present invention can be prepared by conventional chemical methods from the compounds of Formula I or II which contain a basic or acidic moiety. Generally, the salts are prepared by reacting the free base or acid with a stoichiometric amount or with an excess of the desired salt-forming acid or base in a suitable solvent or combination of solvents. Suitable salt-forming acids include inorganic acids such as hydrochloric, hydrobromic, sulfuric, sulfamic, phosphoric, nitric, and the like; organic acids such as acetic, propionic, succinic, glycolic, stearic, lactic, citric, malic, tartaric, ascorbic, pantoic, maleic, hydroxymaleic, phenylacetic, glutamic, benzoic, salicylic, sulfanilic, 2-acetoxybenzoic, fumaric, toluenesulfonic, methanesulfonic, ethanedisulfonic, oxalic, benzenesulfonic, picric, cinnamic, and like acids. Bases which find use for preparation of salts of compounds of Formula I or II having an acidic moiety include alkali or alkaline earth metal hydroxides such as sodium, potassium, lithium, calcium, or magnesium hydroxides, ammonia, or organic bases such as benzylamine, dibenzylamine, diethylthylenediamine, triethylamine, trimethylamine, piperidine, pyrrolidine, 2-hydroxyethylamine, bis(2-hydroxyethyl)amine, phenylethylbenzylamine, and like organic amines.

The compounds of this invention bind to CCK and gastrin receptors in the brain and/or peripheral sites such as the pancreas, gall bladder, stomach, and ileum. Their ability to antagonize CCK and gastrin makes these compounds useful as pharmaceutical agents for the treatment and prevention of disease states wherein CCK or gastrin may be involved, for example, gastrointestinal disorders such as irritable bowel syndrome, ulcers,

excess pancreatic or gastric secretion, acute pancreatitis, motility disorders, neoplasms of gastrointestinal origin, central nervous system disorders involving CCK's interaction with dopamine, such as neuroleptic disorders, tardive dyskinesia, Parkinson's disease, psychosis or Gilles de la Tourette Syndrome, other CNS disorders where CCK is believed to be a causative factor, such as panic attacks and other forms of anxiety, and in modulating appetite regulatory systems.

Preferred CCK and gastrin receptor binding compounds of this invention are the pyrazolidinones of Formula 1, particularly those wherein R and R¹ are in the trans configuration relative to the plane of the pyrazolidinone ring. Preferably, R and R¹ are phenyl or substituted phenyl. A preferred group of compounds of Formula I are those wherein R² is hydrogen and R³ is a group of the formula



One series of such preferred compounds of this invention are those wherein B is sulfur, n is 1, Q is -NH-, and R⁵ is phenyl or substituted phenyl.

Another preferred group of compounds exhibiting a consistent pattern of significant binding to CCK and gastrin receptors are those compounds of Formula I wherein R² is hydrogen and R³ is a moiety defined by the group -CONH-[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷. Especially preferred of those compounds are those wherein q and r are 0 and R⁷ is phenyl, substituted phenyl, 2-naphthyl or 3-quinoliny and R and R¹ are phenyl, naphthyl, or substituted phenyl in the trans configuration relative to the plane of the pyrazolidinone ring. When R⁷ is substituted phenyl, preferred substituents are halo, more particularly, chloro, bromo or iodo; trifluoromethyl; C₁-C₄ alkyl; C₃-C₄ alkylene; benzyloxy; and methylthio.

The compounds of this invention are readily prepared from the corresponding compounds of the formula



III

The intermediate 3-pyrazolidinones are readily prepared by reacting hydrazine with the corresponding α,β -unsaturated esters of the formula R¹-CH=C(R)-COOR' wherein R and R¹ are as defined above and R' is an ester forming group, typically C₁-C₆ alkyl. The present compounds are prepared generally by acylating or alkylating the 3-pyrazolidinones of Formula III under neutral or basic conditions with acylating or alkylating agents selected to give the targeted compound of this invention.

In another embodiment of this invention there is provided pharmaceutical formulations comprising as an active ingredient an effective amount of a compound of Formula I or II and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, excipient or diluent therefor. Such formulations can be prepared for oral or parenteral administration for the treatment and prevention of disorders of the gastrointestinal, central nervous and appetite regulatory systems of warm-blooded vertebrates, especially a man.

For oral use of an antagonist of CCK or gastrin of this invention, the selected compound can be administered, for example, in the form of tablets or capsules, or as an aqueous solution or suspension. In the case of tablets, common excipients include binding agents, for example, syrup, acacia, gelatin, sorbitol, tragacanth, polyvinylpyrrolidone (Povidone), methylcellulose, ethylcellulose, sodium carboxymethylcellulose, hydroxypropylmethylcellulose, sucrose and starch; fillers and carriers, for example, corn starch, gelatin, lactose, sucrose, microcrystalline cellulose, kaolin, mannitol, dicalcium phosphate, sodium chloride and alginic acid; lubricants such as magnesium stearate; disintegrants such as croscarmellose, microcrystalline cellulose, corn starch, sodium starch glycolate and alginic acid; and suitable wetting agents such as lauryl sulfate. For oral administration in capsule form, useful diluents include lactose and dried corn starch. When aqueous suspensions are desirable for oral use, the active ingredient can be combined with emulsifying and suspending agents, for example, sorbitol, methylcellulose, glucose/sugar syrup, gelatin, hydroxyethylcellulose, carboxymethylcellulose, aluminum stearate gel or hydrogenated edible oils, for example, almond oil, fractionated coconut oil, oily esters, propylene glycol or ethyl alcohol; flavoring agents such as peppermint, oil of wintergreen, cherry flavor-

ing or the like; and preservatives such as methyl or propyl p-hydroxybenzoates or ascorbic acid.

The pharmaceutical formulations in accordance with this invention can also be prepared for parenteral use. Such formulations typically take the form of sterile isotonic solutions of the active ingredient according to standard pharmaceutical practice.

The appropriate dose of the compound of the present invention for its use as an antagonist of CCK or gastrin in humans will vary according to the age, weight and response of the individual patient, as well as the severity of the patient symptoms and the nature of the condition being treated. Thus, the preferred daily dose will normally be determined by the prescribing physician. However, in most instances, effective daily doses of the compounds of this invention will range from about 0.05 mg to about 50 mg/kg and preferably about 0.5 mg to about 20 mg/kg in a single or divided doses.

The following Examples are provided to describe further the compounds of this invention and methods for their preparation.

Tetrahydrofuran (THF) was dried by distillation from sodium/benzophenone. Reactions and workup steps were conducted at room temperature unless otherwise noted. Solvents were removed using a rotary evaporator at reduced pressure. Chromatography was performed on normal-phase silica columns except as noted. Titrations were performed in 2:1 DMF:H₂O as solvent.

Example 1

1-[(4-Chloro-3-trifluoromethylphenyl)amino-carbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone. [Method A]

4,5-Diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (3.00 g, 12.6 mmol) was dissolved in 40 mL THF under nitrogen, then a solution of 4-chloro-3-trifluoromethylphenylisocyanate (2.87 g, 13.0 mmol, 1.03 eq.) in 10 mL THF added over 2 min. After 2.3 hr, solvent was removed *in vacuo*, and the residue triturated with 25 mL toluene. The resulting solid was pulverized, washed twice with toluene, and dried *in vacuo* at 65°C to give 4.94 g (85%) white solid. ¹H NMR (d₆-DMSO) δ 3.81 (br s, 1H), 5.56 (br s, 1H), 7.26-7.50 (m, 10H), 7.62 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.89 (dd, J=3, 9 Hz, 1H), 8.13 (br s, 1H), 9.64 (br s, 1H), 10.90 (br s, 1H); mass spectra (MS) 460 (M+1⁺);

Analysis for C₂₃H₁₇ClF₃N₃O₂:

Calc.: C, 60.07; H, 3.73; N, 9.14;

Found: C, 59.99; H, 3.60; N, 8.89.

Example 2

1-[(4-N,N-Dimethylaminophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone. [Method B]

4-N,N-Dimethylaminoaniline (2.00 g, 14.68 mmol) and triethylamine (3.63 g, 35.87 mmol, 2.44 eq.) were dissolved in 50 mL toluene under nitrogen, then triphosgene (1.45 g, 4.89 mmol, 0.333 eq.) added in one batch as a neat solid. The mixture was heated to reflux for 2.5 hr, cooled, then quickly filtered, the collected solid washed twice with toluene, and the combined filtrates evaporated *in vacuo* to give crude 4-N,N-dimethylaminophenylisocyanate as 2.57 g brown oil. This was redissolved in 50 mL THF and a solution of 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (3.50 g, 14.69 mmol, 1.00 eq.) in 50 mL THF added over 3 min. After 20.7 hr, solvent was removed *in vacuo* and the product isolated by chromatography (preparative HPLC; 0-50% EtOAc:toluene gradient) as 1.73 g yellow oil which slowly crystallized. Recrystallization from toluene gave 744 mg (13%) white crystalline solid:

¹H NMR (d₆-DMSO) δ 2.84 (s, 6H), 3.71 (s, 1H), 5.55 (s, 1H), 6.67 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 7.12-7.52 (m, 12H), 8.86 (br s, 1H), 10.70 (br s, 1H); MS 400 (M⁺); titration pK_a's 4.0, 7.9.

Analysis for C₂₄H₂₄N₄O₂:

Calc.: C, 71.98, H, 6.04, N, 13.99;

Found: C, 72.08, H, 6.06, N, 14.06.

Example 3

1-[(4-Benzyloxyphenyl)aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method C]

4-Benzyloxybenzoic acid (2.0 g, 8.8 mmol) was suspended in 50 mL toluene with oxalyl chloride (5 mL) and heated to reflux for 15 min. Solvent was removed *in vacuo*, the residue redissolved in 30 mL acetone, and an aqueous solution of NaN₃ (1.16 g, 17.6 mmol, 2.0 eq. in 10 mL H₂O) added dropwise with external cooling by a water bath. The mixture was stirred for 1 hour, diluted with H₂O, extracted twice with toluene, then the

combined extracts washed with water and brine, and dried over Na_2SO_4 . This solution of acyl azide was treated with 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (1.6 g, 6.8 mmol, 0.76 eq.), warmed until bubbles evolved, and heating maintained for 30 min. After stirring overnight at room temperature, the solvent was removed *in vacuo*, and the product isolated by chromatography (0-30% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 1.6 g (52%) white solid: mp 127-30°C; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3) δ 3.95 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.0 (s, 2H), 5.55 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.8 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H), 6.86-7.46 (m, 16H), 7.05 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H), 8.95 (s, 1H); MS 463 (M^+); titration pK_a 7.7.

Analysis for $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$:

Calc.: C, 75.14; H, 5.44; N, 9.07;

Found: C, 75.15; H, 5.49; N, 9.14.

Example 4

1-[(2-[1,2,3,4-Tetrahydronaphthyl])amino-carbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method D]

1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-2-naphthoic acid (639 mg, 3.63 mmol) was dissolved in 80 mL benzene under nitrogen, azeotropically dried by distilling a small portion of the solvent, then diphenylphosphorylazide (1.12 g, 4.08 mmol, 1.1 eq.) and Et_3N (0.41 g, 4.02 mmol, 1.1 eq.) added and the mixture heated to reflux for 1 hour. Solvent was removed *in vacuo*, the residue dissolved in dry THF under nitrogen, and 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (784 mg, 3.29 mmol, 0.91 eq.) added and the mixture stirred overnight. The solvent was removed *in vacuo* and the product isolated by chromatography (25-50% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 0.92 g (68%) white foam. Recrystallization of a 120 mg sample from $i\text{-Pr}_2\text{O}$: $i\text{-PrOH}$ gave 94 mg white solid, containing a 1:1 mixture of two diastereomers by NMR: mp 82-95°C;

^1H NMR (CDCl_3) δ 1.46-1.66 (m, 1H), 1.79-1.97 (m, 1H), 2.30-2.84 (m, 2H), 2.95 (apparent t of d, J=6, 16 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (apparent d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (m, 1H), 5.12 (m, 1H), 5.34 (apparent d of d, J=6, 14 Hz, 1H), 6.86-7.40 (m, 14 H), c. 9.0 (v br s, 1H); MS 411 (M^+).

Analysis for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$:

Calc.: C, 75.89; H, 6.12; N, 10.21;

Found: C, 75.75; H, 6.32; N, 9.72

Example 5

1-[(3-Trifluoromethylbenzoyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method E]

A solution of 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (2.0 g, 8.4 mmol) in 50 mL CH_2Cl_2 and 5 mL pyridine was treated dropwise with a solution of 3-trifluoromethyl-benzoylchloride (1.4 g, 8.4 mmol) in 25 mL CH_2Cl_2 and stirred overnight. The mixture was washed with 1N HCl, dried over Na_2SO_4 , evaporated, and the product isolated by chromatography (preparative HPLC) as 840 mg (24%) purple foam:

^1H NMR (CDCl_3) δ 3.83 (s, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.64 (m, 15H); MS 410 (M^+); titration pK_a 7.15.

Analysis for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{17}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$:

Calc.: C, 67.31; H, 4.18; N, 6.83;

Found: C, 67.52; H, 4.18; N, 6.66.

Example 6

1-[(4-Chlorophenyl)oxycarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method F]

A solution of 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (1.25 g, 5.26 mmol) in 50 mL CHCl_3 was treated with a solution of 4-chlorophenylchloroformate (1.0 g, 5.26 mmol) in 10 mL CHCl_3 and stirred overnight. The solvent was removed *in vacuo* and the residue recrystallized from EtOAc:hexane to give 1.6 g (58%) white solid: mp 175-7°C.

^1H NMR (CDCl_3) δ 3.98 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.62 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.8-7.5 (m, 15H); MS 392 (M^+); titration pK_a 7.8.

Analysis for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{17}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}_3$:

Calc.: C, 67.26; H, 4.36; N, 7.13;

Found: C, 67.49, H, 4.54, N, 7.17.

Example 7

1-[(3,4-Dichlorobenzyl)aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method M]

A solution of 1-[(4-nitrophenyl)oxycarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (1.00 g, 2.48 mmol) and 3,4-dichlorobenzylamine (5 mL) in 50 mL abs. EtOH was heated to reflux for 8 hours. Solvent was removed in vacuo, the residue taken up in CH₂Cl₂, washed twice with 1N HCl and once with pH 7 buffer, and dried over Na₂SO₄. After removal of solvent in vacuo, the product was purified by chromatography (0-35% EtOAc:hexane gradient) to give 250 mg (23%) solid:

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 3.93 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.28 (dABq, J=7, 15 (JAB) Hz, Δu=48 Hz, 2H), 5.50 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.56 (br t, J=7 Hz, 1H), 6.92-7.44 (m, 13H), 8.73 (br s, 1H); MS 439 (M⁺); titration pK_a 8.4

Analysis for C₂₃H₁₉Cl₂N₃O₂:

Calc.: C, 62.74; H, 4.35; N, 9.54;

Found: C, 62.49; H, 4.53; N, 9.25.

Example 8

2-[(4-Chloro-3-trifluoromethylphenyl)amino-carbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method N]

1-[(4-Chloro-3-trifluoromethylphenyl)amino-carbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (2.00 g, 4.35 mmol) in 100 mL toluene was heated at reflux for 24 hours. After removal of solvent in vacuo, the rearranged product was isolated by chromatography (CH₂Cl₂), then recrystallized from i-Pr₂O:hexane, to give 300 mg (15%) white solid: mp 72-4°C.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.22 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (dd, J=9, 12 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.42 (m, 8H), 7.46 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (dd, J=3, 9 Hz, 1H), 7.87 (d, J=3 Hz, 1H), 10.56 (br s, 1H); MS 459 (M⁺).

Analysis for C₂₃H₁₇ClF₃N₃O₂:

Calc.: C, 60.07; H, 3.73; N, 9.14;

Found: C, 59.95; H, 3.92; N, 8.88.

Example 9

1-[6-Chloro-2-benzothiazolyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone [Method O]

The reaction was conducted under a dry nitrogen atmosphere. A suspension of 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (1.19 g, 5.00 mmol) in 35 mL toluene was treated with 0.40 g NaH (60% in mineral oil; hydride content 0.24 g, 10.0 mmol, 2.00 eq.), and the mixture stirred at 45°C for 2 hours. 2,6-Dichlorobenzothiazole (1.02 g, 5.00 mmol, 1.00 eq.) was added and stirring continued at 80°C for 20 hours. After cooling, the reaction mixture was poured onto 30 mL ice-cooled 0.5 N HCl, extracted with EtOAc, and the separated organic phase washed twice with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and the solvent evaporated in vacuo. The residue was recrystallized from Et₂O:hexane to provide 1.46 g (72%) light tan crystals: mp 170.5-2.5°C.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.07 (br d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (br d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.16-7.58 (m, 14H); MS 405 (M⁺); titration pK_a 6.6.

Analysis for C₂₂H₁₆ClN₃OS:

Calc.: C, 65.10; H, 3.97; N, 10.35;

Found: C, 64.85; H, 4.13; N, 10.12.

Example 10

1-[(4-Aminophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone

1-[(4-Nitrophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (500 mg, 1.24 mmol) was dissolved in 50 mL EtOH and hydrogenated with 5% Pd/C (500 mg) under 60 p.s.i. H₂, overnight at room temperature. The mixture was filtered to remove catalyst, solvent removed in vacuo, and the product isolated by chromatography (0-50% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 125 mg (27%) solid.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 3.97 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.50 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H), 6.96 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H), 7.2-7.5 (m, 10H); MS 372 (M⁺); titration pK_a 4.5, 8.1.

Analysis for C₂₂H₂₀N₄O₂:

Calc.: C, 70.95; H, 5.41; N, 15.04;

Found: C, 70.65; H, 5.42; N, 14.75.

Example 11

1-[(4-Bromophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-2-(O-t-butyl-carboxymethyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone and 1-[(4-bromophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-3-(O-t-butylcarboxymethoxy)-4,5-diphenyl-2-pyrazoline

To a suspension of 1-[(4-bromophenyl)amino-carbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (2.0 g, 4.6 mmol) in 30 mL abs. EtOH were added a solution of KOH (1.1 eq.) in abs. EtOH and t-butyl bromoacetate (5 mL).

After stirring for 3 days a precipitate of KBr had appeared. The mixture was diluted with H₂O, extracted with Et₂O, then the Et₂O layer washed with H₂O and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and evaporated *in vacuo*. An inseparable mixture of two products was isolated by chromatography (0-25% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 1.3 g (52%) foam, containing a 3:2 ratio of N-alkylated to O-alkylated products [first and second title products, respectively] by NMR:

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) N-alkylated: δ 1.53 (s, 9H), 3.96 (d, J=19 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (s, 1H), 4.65 (d, J=19 Hz, 1H), 5.95 (s, 1H), 7.23-7.46 (m, 14H), 9.70 (s, 1H); O-alkylated: δ 1.53 (s, 9H), 4.18 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (s, 2H), 5.40 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.46 (m, 14H), 7.74 (s, 1H); MS 549, 551 (M⁺s for Br isotopes).

Analysis for C₂₈H₂₈BrN₃O₄:

Calc.: C, 61.10; H, 5.13; N, 7.63;

Found: C, 60.94, H, 4.93; N, 7.85.

Example 12

1-[(4-Bromophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-2-carboxy-methyl-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone and 1-[(4-bromophenyl)aminocarbonyl]-3-carboxymethoxy-4,5-diphenyl-2-pyrazoline

The regioisomeric mixture of t-butyl esters from Example 11 [c. 3:2 mixture of N- to O-alkylated] (500 mg, 0.91 mmol) was dissolved in 30 mL CH₂Cl₂ and 5 mL trifluoroacetic acid. After 4 hours TLC (CH₂Cl₂) indicated disappearance of starting materials. Solvent was removed *in vacuo* and a mixture of two products isolated by chromatography (0-100% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 180 mg (40%) foam, comprised of a 4:3 ratio of N-alkylated to O-alkylated compounds [first and second title products, respectively] by NMR.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) N-alkylated: δ 4.09 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (d, J=19 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (d, J=19 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 7.20-7.50 (m, 14H), 9.08 (s, 1H); O-alkylated: δ 4.19 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (ABq, J=16 Hz, Δu=30 Hz, 2H), 5.46 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 7.20-7.50 (m, 14H), 7.75 (s, 1H); MS 493, 495 (M⁺s for Br isotopes); titration pK_a 4.8.

Analysis for C₂₄H₂₀BrN₃O₄:

Calc.: C, 58.31; H, 4.08; N, 8.50;

Found: C, 58.59; H, 4.03; N, 8.24.

The N- and O-alkylated products were separated by chromatography on a Waters C₁₈ reverse-phase column, using 30-40% CH₃CN:H₂O buffered with 0.3-0.5% NH₄OAc. The leading fractions from the first pass were evaporated, lyophilized, then taken up in CH₂Cl₂, washed twice with 1 N HCl, and the solvent removed *in vacuo* to provide 28 mg O-alkylated product:

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.19 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (ABq, J=17 Hz, Δu=25 Hz, 2H), 5.45 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (br s, 1H), 7.20-7.40 (m, 14H), 7.70 (s, 1H).

The later fractions were rechromatographed twice more, then similarly processed to give 8 mg N-alkylated product:

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.05 (s, 1H), 4.08 (br d, J=18 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (br d, J=18 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H), 7.21-7.50 (m, 14H), 9.0 (br s, 1H).

Example 13

1-[(4-Trifluoromethylphenyl)aminocarbonyl]-3-methoxy-4,5-diphenyl-2-pyrazoline

A solution of 1-[(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-aminocarbonyl]-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (740 mg, 1.74 mmol) and KOH (122 mg of 88% pure, 1.1 eq.) in 30 mL abs. EtOH was treated with iodomethane (5 mL) and stirred overnight. The mixture was diluted with H₂O, extracted twice with CH₂Cl₂, and the combined extracts washed with H₂O, dried over Na₂SO₄, and evaporated *in vacuo*. The product was isolated by chromatography (0-15% EtOAc:hexane gradient) as 61 mg (8%) solid.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.0 (s, 3H), 4.11 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.48 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.74 (m, 14H), 8.09 (s, 1H); MS 439 (M⁺).

Also isolated was 1-[(4-trifluoromethylphenyl)-aminocarbonyl]-2-methyl-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone, corresponding to a product prepared, according to the method of Example 1, from 2-methyl-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone and 4-trifluoromethylphenylisocyanate.

Example 14

1-(Indole-2-carbonyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone

Indole-2-carboxylic acid (1.35 g, 8.38 mmol), oxalyl chloride (4 mL), and DMF (3 drops) were added in order to 50 mL toluene, and stirred until gas evolution subsided and a homogeneous solution was obtained (c.20 min). Solvent was removed in vacuo, the residue taken up in CH₂Cl₂, and added to a solution of 4,5-diphenyl-3-pyrazolidinone (2.0 g, 8.40 mmol, 1.00 eq.) in 50 mL CH₂Cl₂ and 5 mL pyridine. After stirring overnight, the solution was washed with 1N HCl, dried over Na₂SO₄, and solvent removed in vacuo. The residual solid was stirred with CH₂Cl₂, filtered, and recrystallized from DMF:H₂O to give 1.42 g (44%) white solid; mp 248-50°C. ¹H NMR (d₆-DMSO) δ 3.82 (s, 1H), 5.86 (s, 1H), 6.95-7.6 (m, 16H), 11.84 (br s, 1H); MS 381 (M⁺); titration pK_a 6.75.

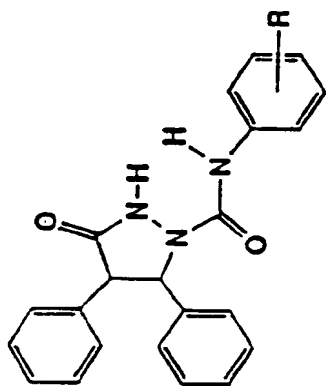
Analysis for C₂₄H₁₉N₃O₂:

Calc.: C, 75.57; H, 5.02; N, 11.02;

Found: C, 75.38, H, 5.21; N, 10.99

Examples 15-135 are summarized below in Table 1. The compound of each Example is identified by reference to the structural formula preceeding each group of Examples. The method for preparing each compound is indicated by reference to the Methods A-O, corresponding to the procedures identified in the foregoing Examples 1-9. The phenyl groups on the pyrazolidinone ring of the compounds of Examples 1-67 and 74-109 are in the trans position.

TABLE I
PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY DATA ON CCK / GASTRIN ANTAGONISTS



Structure for examples 15-59 below

| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % Theory/Found | | |
|-----|-------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 15 | H | A | EtOAc; hexane | 2.20 g 73% | 168-70 | 357 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.75 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 6.96-7.53 (m, 15H), 9.16 (s, 1H), 10.8 (s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂ | 73.93 73.84 | 5.36 5.42 | 11.76 11.75 |
| 16 | 4-Cl | A (THF) | PhMe | 2.32 g 43.3% | 426 (M ⁺) | | DMSO 3.80 (br s, 1H), 5.58 (br s, 1H), 7.30-7.80 (m, 14H), 9.54 (br s, 1H), 10.90 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 64.94 64.67 | 4.26 4.09 | 9.88 9.75 |
| 17 | 4-F | A | EtOAc; hexane | 1.76 g 65% | 189.91 | 375 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.99 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.85-7.5 (m, 14H), 8.95 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 70.37 70.24 | 4.83 4.85 | 11.17 11.09 |
| 18 | 4-Cl | A | EtOAc; hexane | 2.44 g 48% | 173.5 | 391 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.78 (s, 1H), 5.56 (s, 1H), 7.24-7.6 (m, 14H), 9.32 (s, 1H), 10.81 (s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₈ ClN ₃ O ₂ | 67.43 67.30 | 4.63 4.79 | 10.72 10.67 |
| 19 | 4-Cl (H Me) | B | chrom (prep plates) | 60 mg 40% | 405 (M ⁺) | | CDCl ₃ 3.18 (s, 3H), 3.53 (d, J=3 Hz, 1H), 4.86 (d, J=3 Hz, 1H), 6.9-7.42 (m, 15H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ ClN ₃ O ₂ | | | |

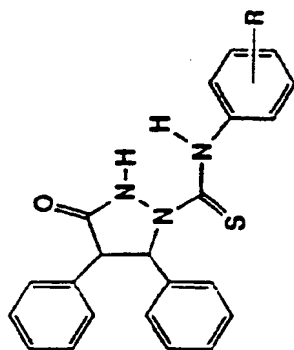
| Ex. | n | Method | Solvent | Yield, % | Mo. C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|---------|--------------------|--|---------------|--------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 20 | 4-Br | PLP eq. A (11F) | oL Cysl. PhMe (to give PhMe hemi- solvate) | 2.64 g 58% | 174.6 ^b | 435, 437 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.77 (br s, 1H), 5.57 (br s, 1H), 7.12-7.55 (m, 14H), 9.31 (br s, 1H), 10.81 (br s, 1H) | C22H18BrN3O2- 1/2 (C7H8) | 63.49 63.15 | 4.60 4.60 | 8.71 8.81 |
| 21 | 4-I | C | EtOAc: hexane | 90 mg 2% | 177.9 | 483 (M ⁺) | CDCl3 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.9-7.5 (m, 14H) | C22H18IN3O2 | 54.67 54.46 | 3.75 3.70 | 8.69 8.51 |
| 22 | 4-CO2Et | A | chrom | 480 mg 11% | | 430 (M ⁺ +1) | CDCl3 1.38 (t, J=8 Hz, 3H), 4.02 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (q, J=8 Hz, 2H), 5.56 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.95 (m, 14H) | C25H23N3O4 | | | |
| 23 | 4-COMe | A | chrom | 31 mg 1.2% | | 399 (M ⁺) | CDCl3 2.52 (s, 3H), 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.55 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.2-7.5 (m, 11 Hz), 7.83 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 9.18 (br s, 1H) | C24H21N3O3 | | | |
| 24 | 4-NO2 | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.8 g 71% | 168-70 | 402 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.83 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 7.25-7.5 (m, 10H), 7.82 (d, J=14 Hz, 2H), 8.2 (d, J=14 Hz, 2H), 9.77 (s, 1H), 11.03 (br s, 1H) | C22H18N4O4 | 65.67 65.43 | 4.51 4.56 | 13.92 13.70 |
| 25 | 4-Me | A | PhMe | 1.72 g 44% | | 371 (M ⁺) | DMSO 2.25 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 1H), 5.57 (br s, 1H), 7.08 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 7.3-7.5 (m, 12H), 9.03 (br s, 1H), 10.74 (br s, 1H) | C23H21N3O2 | 74.37 74.52 | 5.70 5.50 | 11.31 11.10 |
| 26 | 4-Et | A | titrated with PhMe | 3.74 g 92% | | 385 (M ⁺) | DMSO 1.16 (t, J=8 Hz, 3H), 2.55 (q, J=8 Hz, 2H), 3.74 (br s, 1H), 5.57 (br s, 1H), 7.12 (d, J=9 Hz, 2H), 7.14-7.54 (m, 12H), 9.06 (br s, 1H), 10.76 (br s, 1H) | C24H23N3O2 | 74.78 75.00 | 6.01 6.13 | 10.90 10.71 |
| 27 | 4-n-Pr | C | EtOAc: hexane | 230 mg 6% | 169-71 | 400 (M ⁺ +1) | CDCl3 0.9 (t, J=10 Hz, 3H), 1.58 (m, 2H), 2.5 (t, J=10 Hz, 2H), 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (s, 1H), 7.03 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.1 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.5 (m, 10H), 8.62 (br s, 1H) | C25H25N3O2 | 75.16 75.07 | 6.31 6.23 | 10.52 10.50 |

| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % Theory/Found |
|-----|-----------|-----------------|-------------------------------|------------|----------|----------|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| 28 | 4-n-Bu | A | EIOAc: hexane | 1.22 g 47% | 165.7 | 413 (M+) | CDCl ₃ 0.95 (t, J=10 Hz, 3H), 1.3 (m, 2H), 1.5 (m, 2H), 2.56 (t, J=10 Hz, 2H), 3.98 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.93 (s, 1H), 7.03 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.1 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.46 (m, 10H), 9.04 (s, 1H) | C ₂₆ H ₂₇ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.52 6.58 10.16 75.23 6.35 9.97 |
| 29 | 4-i-Pr | A | THF: EIOAc | 1.0 g 40% | 191.3 | 399 (M+) | CDCl ₃ 1.21 (d, J=10 Hz, 6H), 2.83 (m, J=10 Hz, 1H), 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (s, 1H), 7.1-7.5 (m, 14H), 8.65 (s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.16 6.31 10.52 75.37 6.42 10.46 |
| 30 | 4-t-Bu | C | EIOAc | 790 mg 30% | 204.7 | 413 (M+) | CDCl ₃ 1.26 (s, 9H), 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.50 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (s, 1H), 7.12 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.2-7.44 (m, 10H), 8.6 (s, 1H) | C ₂₆ H ₂₇ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.52 6.58 10.16 75.74 6.78 10.18 |
| 31 | 4-c-Hexyl | B | chrom, then EIOAc, then chrom | 104 mg 3% | 200.3 | 439 (M+) | DMSO 1.15-1.85 (m, 10H), 2.22 (m, 1H), 3.74 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 7.13 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 7.3-7.43 (m, 10H), 9.08 (s, 1H), 10.76 (s, 1H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₉ N ₃ O ₂ | 76.51 6.65 9.56 76.29 8.81 9.38 |
| 32 | 4-Ph | C | chrom, then, EIOAc: hexane | 312 mg 17% | 180.2 | 433 (M+) | CDCl ₃ 4.02 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.56 (m, 20H), 9.4 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 76.94 5.50 9.97 76.86 5.39 9.96 |
| 33 | 4-OMe | A | EIOAc: hexane | 1.9 g 79% | 154.7 | 387 (M+) | CDCl ₃ 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.96 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 6.9-7.43 (m, 11H), 9.0 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₃ | 71.30 5.46 10.85 70.71 5.67 10.71 |
| 34 | 4-OEt | A | Irradiated with PhMe | 2.93 g 87% | 401 (M+) | | DMSO 1.31 (t, J=7 Hz, 3H), 3.73 (s, 1H), 3.97 (q, J=7 Hz, 2H), 5.55 (br s, 1H), 6.84 (d, J=6 Hz, 2H), 7.3-7.53 (m, 12H), 8.99 (br s, 1H), 10.72 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₃ | 71.80 5.77 10.47 72.05 5.89 10.21 |

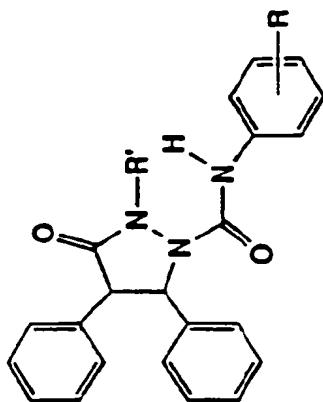
| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | M _n , °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|------------------------------------|-----------------|---|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 35 | 4-O- <i>i</i> -Pr | B | of Cryst. ^a titrated with Et ₂ O | 1.34 g 74% | 178-80 | 415 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 1.27 (d, J=8 Hz, 6H), 3.93 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 4.42 (septet, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (d, J=9 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 7.05 (d, J=9 Hz, 2H), 7.13-7.39 (m, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₃ | 72.27 72.25 | 8.06 8.04 | 10.11 10.06 |
| 36 | 4-OC ₁₂ H ₂₅ | B | chrom (EtOAc: hexane), then titrated with PhMe | 324 mg 31% | 477 (M ⁺) | | DMSO 3.01 (t, J=7 Hz, 2H), 3.73 (s, 1H), 4.14 (t, J=7 Hz, 2H), 5.55 (br s, 1H), 6.86 (d, J=9 Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.52 (m, 1H), 9.01 (br s, 1H), 10.72 (br s, 1H) | C ₃₀ H ₂₇ N ₃ O ₃ | 75.45 75.71 | 5.70 5.78 | 8.80 8.67 |
| 37 | 4-OPh | A | EtOAc: CH ₂ OH | 2.9 g 68% | 188-90 | 450 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.75 (s, 1H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 6.95-7.56 (m, 19H), 9.21 (s, 1H), 10.8 (s, 1H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₃ | 74.82 74.58 | 5.16 5.22 | 9.35 9.34 |
| 38 | 4-SMe | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.6 g 65% | 160-2 | 403 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 2.42 (s, 3H), 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.95-7.44 (m, 15H), 8.98 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂ S | 68.46 68.28 | 5.25 5.28 | 10.41 10.25 |
| 39 | 3-CF ₃ | A | EtOAc: hexane | 3.0 g 83% | 165-7 | 425 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.8 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 7.3-7.56 (m, 12H), 7.82 (d, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 9.54 (s, 1H), 10.88 (s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 64.94 65.07 | 4.27 4.19 | 9.88 9.77 |
| 40 | 3-NO ₂ | A | EtOAc: hexane | 2.11 g 84% | 164-6 | (no M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.62 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-8.1 (m, 14H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₈ N ₄ O ₄ | 65.57 65.53 | 4.51 4.25 | 13.92 13.67 |
| 41 | 3-Me | A | CH ₂ OH | 1.05 g 46% | 188-90 | 371 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.3 (s, 3H), 3.74 (s, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 6.8-7.54 (m, 12H), 9.04 (s, 1H), 10.86 (s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂ | 74.37 74.17 | 5.70 5.63 | 11.31 11.04 |
| 42 | 3-OMe | A | EtOAc: hexane | 2.1 g 51% | 163-5 | 387 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.7 (s, 3H), 3.98 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.58-7.48 (m, 16H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₃ | 71.30 71.29 | 5.46 5.72 | 10.85 10.59 |
| 43 | 3-O- <i>i</i> -Pr | B | C ₆ H ₆ : hexane | 450 mg 22% | 80-85 | 415 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 1.26 (d, J=6 Hz, 6H), 3.96 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 4.45 (septet, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.51 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 6.54-6.62 (m, 2H), 6.91-7.08 (m, 3H), 7.21-7.50 (m, 11H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₃ | 72.27 71.99 | 6.06 6.18 | 10.11 9.94 |

| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | M _n , °C | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------|--|---------------|---|-----------------------|--|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 44 | 3 OCH ₂ Ph | B | titrated with Et ₂ O | 1.64 g 85% | 143- 44.5 | 463 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.99 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (s, 2H), 5.54 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 6.66-6.68 (m, 2H), 7.06 (s, 1H), 7.09-7.12 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.44 (m, 16H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₃ | 75.14 75.01 | 5.44 5.49 | 9.07 8.84 |
| 45 | 3-CF ₃ , 4-Br | B | chrom | 120 mg 12% | 503, 505 (M ⁺ 's for Br isotopes) | | CDCl ₃ 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.56 (m, 15H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₇ BrF ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 54.78 55.05 | 3.40 3.51 | 8.33 8.07 |
| 46 | 3,4-diCl | A | EtOAc; hexane | 2.2 g 49% | 169-71 | 425 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.04 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.57 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.97-7.5 (m, 15H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 61.99 62.22 | 4.02 4.11 | 9.86 9.75 |
| 47 | 3 Cl, 4 F | A | EtOAc; hexane | 2.0 g 84% | 174.6 | 409 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.56 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.95-7.5 (m, 15H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ ClF ₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 64.47 64.03 | 4.18 4.76 | 10.25 9.53 |
| 48 | 3 NO ₂ , 4-Cl | A | EtOAc; hexane | 910 mg 41% | 149-51 | 436 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.92 (m, 14H), 9.3 (s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ ClN ₄ O ₄ | 60.49 60.23 | 3.92 4.03 | 12.83 12.79 |
| 49 | 3,4-(Cl) ₂ | B | EtOAc; hexane, then chrom (EtOAc; hexane), then EtOAc | 380 mg 12% | 179-81 | 397 (M ⁺) | DMSO 1.97 (m, 2H), 2.8 (m, 4H), 3.7 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 7.12-7.5 (m, 13H), 9.0 (s, 1H), 10.75 (s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₁₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.55 75.67 | 5.83 5.95 | 10.57 10.46 |
| 50 | 3,4-(Cl) ₂ | D | chrom (EtOAc; CH ₂ Cl ₂), then Et ₂ O; CH ₂ Cl ₂ | 354 mg 20% | 177- 8.5 | 411 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 1.74 (t, J=3 Hz, 4H), 2.66 (d, J=7 Hz, 4H), 3.97 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 5.55 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 6.83-6.92 (m, 3H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 7.24-7.44 (m, 10H), 9.06 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.89 76.08 | 6.12 6.33 | 10.21 10.05 |
| 51 | 3,4-diOMe | B | chrom | 640 mg 11% | 418 (M ⁺) | | CDCl ₃ 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.97 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.53-7.5 (m, 14H), 6.7 (s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₁₂ N ₃ O ₄ | 69.05 68.92 | 5.55 5.54 | 10.07 10.12 |

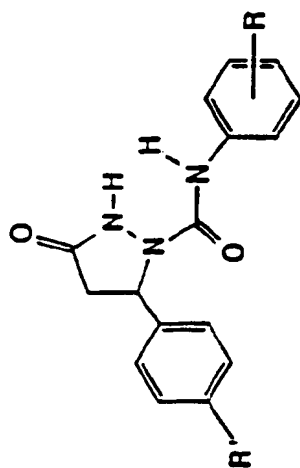
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| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N | |
| 52 | 3,4-OC12O | B | EtOAc | 390 mg 7% | 179-81 | 401 (M+) | DMSO 3.73 (s, 1H), 5.55 (s, 1H), 5.97 (s, 2H), 6.8-7.6 (m, 13H), 9.05 (s, 1H), 10.75 (s, 1H) | C23H19N3O4 | 68.82 | 4.77 | 10.47 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 68.96 | 4.76 | 10.29 | |
| 53 | 2-CF3 | A | EtOAc | 3.46 g 77% | 143-5 | 425 (M+) | DMSO 3.8 (s, 1H), 5.6 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.75 (m, 14H), 8.68 (s, 1H), 10.95 (s, 1H) | C23H18F3N3O2 | 64.94 | 4.26 | 9.88 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 65.15 | 4.19 | 9.60 | |
| 54 | 2,3-diCl | A | THF: hexane | 3.9 g 70% | 191-3 | 425 (M+) | DMSO 3.78 (s, 1H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 7.3-7.6 (m, 13H), 8.88 (s, 1H), 11.05 (s, 1H) | C22H17Cl2N3O2 | 61.93 | 4.02 | 9.86 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 62.00 | 3.96 | 9.94 | |
| 55 | 2,4-diCl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.7 g 63% | 150-3 | 425 (M+) | CDCl3 4.02 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.5 (m, 13H), 8.1 (d, J=10 Hz, 1H), 8.95 (s, 1H) | C22H17Cl2N3O2 | 61.98 | 4.02 | 9.86 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 62.16 | 4.28 | 9.98 | |
| 56 | 2,4-diF | A | chrom | 800 mg 32% | | 393 (M+) | CDCl3 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.43 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.8 (m, 2H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.5 (m, 9H), 7.93 (m, 1H), 8.8 (br s, 1H) | C22H17F2N3O2 | | | | |
| 57 | 2-Cl,5-CF3 | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.38 g 29% | 130-2 | 459 (M+) | CDCl3 4.05 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.41 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.5 (m, 14H), 8.53 (s, 1H) | C23H17ClF3N3O2 | 60.07 | 3.73 | 9.14 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 60.37 | 3.95 | 9.03 | |
| 58 | 3,5-diCF3 | A | chrom | 3.6 g 69% | | 493 (M+) | CDCl3 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.62 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.58 (m, 13H), 7.75 (s, 2H) | C24H17F6N3O2 | 58.42 | 3.47 | 8.52 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 58.59 | 3.75 | 8.69 | |
| 59 | 3,5-diCl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 800 mg 30% | 166-8 | 425 (M+) | DMSO 3.82 (s, 1H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 7.2 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.5 (m, 10H), 7.71 (s, 2H), 9.5 (s, 1H), 10.95 (s, 1H) | C22H17Cl2N3O2 | 61.99 | 4.02 | 9.86 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 61.75 | 3.94 | 9.85 | |



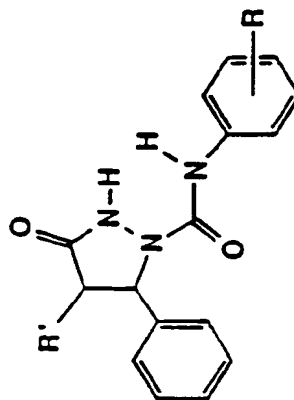
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| 60 | H | A (111f) | PhMe:hexane, then Et ₂ O; hexane (to give Et ₂ O solvate) | 117 mg 5% | 69-79 | 373 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.03 (d, 1H), 5.77 (d, 1H), 7.10-7.54 (m, 16 H), 9.6 (br s, 1H) [plus for Et ₂ O: 1.20 (t, 6H), 3.48 (q, 4H)] | C ₂₂ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₃ C ₄ H ₁₀ O | 69.77 69.72 | 65.53 63.38 | 9.39 9.37 |
| 61 | 3-CF ₃ | A | chrom | 1.5 g 33% | 442 (M ⁺) | | CDCl ₃ 4.07 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.12-7.63 (m, 16H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₃ | 62.58 62.87 | 4.11 4.22 | 9.52 9.34 |
| 62 | 4-CF ₃ | A | PhMe | 800 mg 29% | 87-90 | 441 (M ⁺), 442 (M ⁺ +1) | CDCl ₃ 4.09 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.77 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.28 (m, 3H), 7.3-7.44 (m, 7H), 7.44-7.64 (m, 5H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₃ | 62.51 62.51 | 4.11 4.15 | 9.52 9.46 |
| 63 | 3-CF ₃ , 4-Cl | A | chrom, then triturated with hexane | 200 mg 10% | 80-2 | 475 (M ⁺), 476 (M ⁺ +1) | CDCl ₃ 4.09 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.06-7.6 (m, 15H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₇ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₃ S | 58.05 58.15 | 8.82 8.55 | 3.60 3.62 |
| 64 | 2,3-diCl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 2.5 g 67% | 154-6 | 441 (M ⁺), 442, 444 (M ⁺), [M ⁺]'s for Cl isotopous) | DMSO 3.95 (s, 1H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.6 (m, 13H), 9.5 (br s, 1H), 11.5 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ | 59.73 59.92 | 3.87 4.11 | 9.50 9.73 |
| 65 | pentaF | A | chrom | 600 mg 21% | 463 (M ⁺) | | CDCl ₃ 4.04 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H), 6.94 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.55 (m, 11H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₄ F ₅ N ₃ O ₃ | | | |



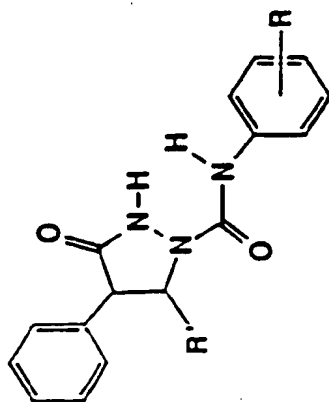
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| 66 | 2,3-diCl | Me | A | EtOAc: hexane | 670 mg 76% | 172-4 | 439 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.35 (s, 3H), 3.88 (s, 1H), 5.50 (s, 1H), 7.16-7.56 (m, 13H), 9.26 (s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 62.74 | 4.35 | 9.54 |
| 67 | 4-CF ₃ | Me | A | chrom | 210 mg 40% | 439 | 439 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.36 (s, 3H), 3.93 (d, J=3 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=3 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.6 (m, 14H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₀ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 65.60 | 4.59 | 9.56 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 65.35 | 4.51 | 9.30 |



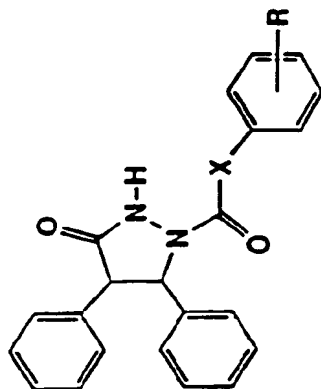
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| | | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 68 | 2,3-diCl | Ph | A | EtOAc | 170 mg 63% | 172.3 | 425 (M ⁺) | DMSO 2.5 (m, 1H), 3.53 (m, 1H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 7.3-7.76 (m, 11H), 7.95 (s, 1H), 8.58 (s, 1H), 10.6 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 61.96 62.20 | 4.02 4.04 | 9.86 9.94 |



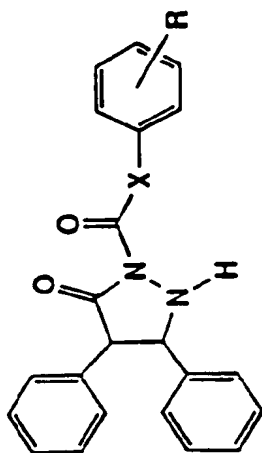
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| | | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 69 | 4-Br | n-Bu | A | chrom | 670 mg 56% | 415, 417 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | 415, 417 | DMSO 0.84 (t, J=12 Hz, 3H), 1.30 (m, 2H), 1.46 (m, 2H), 1.65 (m, 2H), 3.29 (s, 1H), 5.38 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.6 (m, 9H), 9.17 (s, 1H), 10.34 (s, 1H) | C ₂₀ H ₂₂ BrN ₃ O ₂ | | | |



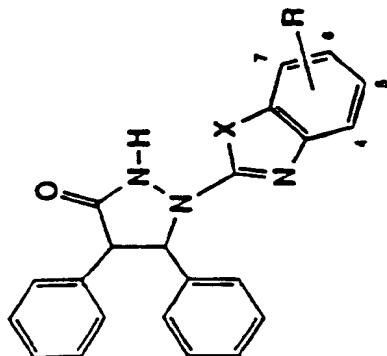
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| 70 | 3-Cl | n-Bu | A | chrom | 290 mg 21% | 405 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 0.93 (t, J=12 Hz, 3H), 1.42 (m, 2H), 1.5 (m, 2H), 1.73 (m, 1H), 1.83 (m, 1H), 3.79 (s, 1H), 4.83 (m, 1H), 7.2-7.6 (m, 9H), 7.74 (s, 1H), 7.83 (s, 1H) | C ₂₁ H ₂₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | C 62.21 62.40 H 5.47 5.66 N 10.36 10.26 |
| 71 | 4-Cl | n-Bu | A | chrom | 136 mg 15% | 405 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 0.95 (t, J=8 Hz, 3H), 1.42 (m, 2H), 1.51 (m, 2H), 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.88 (m, 1H), 3.53 (s, 1H), 4.82 (t, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.35 (m, 5H), 7.44 (ABq, J=8 Hz, Δν=18 Hz, 4H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 8.55 (v br s, 1H) | C ₂₁ H ₂₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | C 62.21 61.97 H 5.47 5.56 N 10.36 10.22 |
| 72 | 4-Br | CH ₂ Ph | A | EtOAc; hexane | 248 mg 51% | 449, 451 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 2.97-3.15 (m, 2H), 3.47 (br s, 1H), 4.70 (br s, 1H), 7.01 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 7.15-7.42 (m, 12H), 9.05 (br s, 1H), 10.47 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ BrN ₃ O ₂ | C 61.34 61.16 H 4.48 4.73 N 9.33 9.12 |
| 73 | 4-Br | i-Pr | A | chrom (EtOAc; hexane) | 45 mg 42% | 401, 403 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 1.12 (d, J=6 Hz, 6H), 2.05 (m, J=7 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 1H), 4.56 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.20-7.51 (m, 9H), 8.28 (br s, 1H) | C ₁₉ H ₂₀ BrN ₃ O ₂ | |



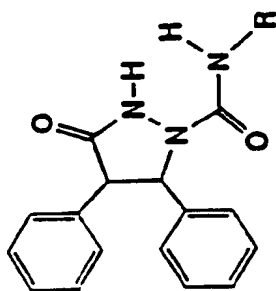
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| 74 | 4-CF ₃ | - | E (Et ₃ N) | c | 100 mg 6% | 72-5 | 410 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.89 (d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (br s, 1H), 7.18-7.26 (m, 5H), 7.26-7.50 (m, 8H), 7.50-7.57 (m, 2H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₇ F ₃ N ₂ O ₂ | C 67.31 67.57 H 4.18 4.45 N 6.83 6.64 |
| 75 | 3,4-diCl | - | E (no base) | c | 508 mg 29% | 68-70 | 410, 412 (M ⁺ 's for Cl isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 3.89 (d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (br s, 1H), 7.14-7.48 (m, 14H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ N ₂ O ₂ | C 64.25 64.21 H 3.92 3.99 N 6.81 6.80 |
| 76 | 3-CF ₃ | CH ₂ | E | chrom | 600 mg 17% | | 424 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.47 (s, 2H), 3.94 (s, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 7.0-7.8 (m, 14H) | C ₂₄ H ₁₉ F ₃ N ₂ O ₂ | C 67.92 67.78 H 4.51 4.58 N 6.60 6.79 |
| 77 | 4-CF ₃ | CH ₂ | E (no base) | c | 101 mg 6% | 66-68 | 424 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.48 (br s, 2H), 3.91 (d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (br s, 1H), 7.04-7.5 (m, 15H) | C ₂₄ H ₁₉ F ₃ N ₂ O ₂ | C 67.92 67.78 H 4.51 4.56 N 6.60 6.45 |
| 78 | 3,4-diCl | CH ₂ | E (Et ₃ N) | Et ₂ O: hexane | 1.0 g 17% | 70-72 | 426 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.36 (br s, 2H), 3.93 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (br s, 1H), 6.84 (br s, 1H), 7.0 (br s, 1H), 7.08-7.5 (m, 12H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₈ Cl ₂ N ₂ O ₂ | C 64.95 64.93 H 4.27 4.67 N 6.58 6.60 |
| 79 | H | O | F | EtOAc: hexane | 980 mg 43% | 164-6 | 358 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.97 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.54 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.9-7.5 (m, 16H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₃ | C 73.73 73.94 H 5.06 5.29 N 7.82 7.88 |
| 80 | 4-NO ₂ | O | F | EtOAc | 1.3 g 32% | 175-7 | 403 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.02 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.52 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.1-7.5 (m, 12H), 8.19 (d, J=15 Hz, 2H), 9.25 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₅ | C 65.51 65.49 H 4.25 4.31 N 10.42 10.34 |
| 81 | 4-Br | S | B | EtOAc: hexane | 610 mg 13% | 156-7 | 452, 454 (M ⁺ 's for Br isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 3.97 (d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 7.25-7.55 (m, 14H), 9.15 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrN ₂ O ₂ S | C 58.29 58.04 H 3.78 3.79 N 6.18 6.07 |



| Ex. | R | X | Method of Prep. | Solvent of Crystl. ^a | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % Theory/Found | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 82 | 3-CF3 | NI | N | chrom (CH2Cl2) | 1.72 g 48% | | 425 (M+) | CDCl3 4.22 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (dd, J=9 Hz, 12 Hz, 1H), 5.46 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.75 (m, 13H), 7.84 (s, 1H), 10.35 (s, 1H) | C23H18F3N3O2 | 64.94 65.11 | 4.27 4.41 | 9.88 9.65 |
| 83 | 4-CF3 | NI | N | chrom (CH2Cl2), then triturated with hexane | 530 mg 30% | 74.6 | 425 (M+) | CDCl3 4.23 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (dd, J=9, 12 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.3-7.42 (m, 8H), 7.56-7.7 (m, 4H), 10.4 (br s, 1H) | C24H18F3N3O2 | 64.94 65.11 | 4.27 4.41 | 9.88 9.65 |



| Ex. | R | X | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | Calc. | Found | N |
| 84 | H | S | O (C ₆ H ₆) | Et ₂ O | 233 mg 42% | 186-8 | 371 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.05 (d, 1H), 5.23 (d, 1H), 7.15-7.68 (m, 15H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂ S | 71.14 71.38 | 4.61 4.89 | 11.31 11.11 |
| 85 | 6 Br | S | O (PhMe) | Et ₂ O; hexane | 1.67 g 57% | 180-6 | 449, 451 (M ⁺ 's for Br isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 4.06 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 7.16-7.52 (m, 13H), 7.64 (d, J=1 Hz, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₆ BrN ₃ O ₂ S | 58.67 58.87 | 3.58 3.83 | 9.33 9.08 |
| 86 | 4,5-diCl | S | O (PhMe) | Et ₂ O; hexane | 1.10 g 83% | 200-4 | 440 (M ⁺ for Cl isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 4.13 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 5.19 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.45 (m, 13H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S | 60.01 60.30 | 3.43 3.70 | 9.54 9.62 |
| 87 | H | O | O (PhMe) | Et ₂ O | 660 mg 62% | 174- 5.5 | 355 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.04 (d, J=4.5 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (d, J=4.5 Hz, 1H), 7.14-7.54 (m, 15 H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂ | 74.35 74.56 | 4.82 4.98 | 11.82 11.67 |

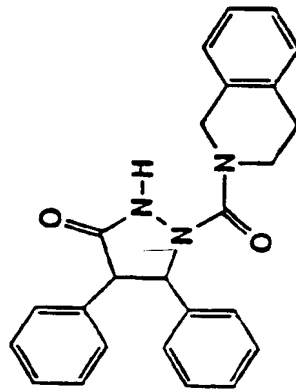


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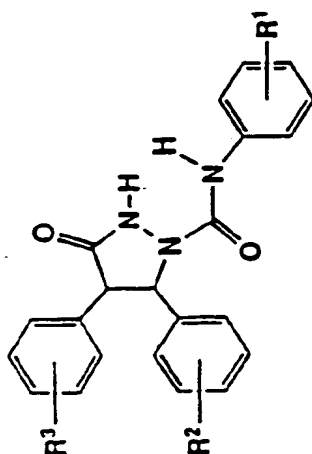
| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mo. Wt. | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % Theory/Found |
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| 88 | 3-Pyridyl | C | EtOAc: hexane | 3.5 g 73% | 208.10 | 358 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.8 (s, 1H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 7.27-7.5 (m, 1H), 7.94 (m, 1H), 8.23 (m, 1H), 8.7 (m, 1H), 9.38 (br s, 1H), 10.94 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₁ H ₁₈ N ₄ O ₂ | C 70.38 70.34 H 5.06 5.16 N 15.63 15.35 |
| 89 | 4-Pyridyl | C | chloro | 183 mg 28% | | 358 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.93 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.46 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.18-7.35 (m, 10H), 7.62 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H), 7.95 (d, J=10 Hz, 2H) | C ₂₁ H ₁₈ N ₄ O ₂ | |
| 90 | 1-Naphthyl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 790 mg 33% | 145.7 | 407 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.03 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.51 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.8-7.8 (m, 18H), 9.0 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₆ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂ | C 76.64 76.41 H 5.19 5.33 N 10.31 10.12 |
| 91 | 2-Naphthyl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.13 g 44% | 172.4 | 407 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 4.02 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.1-7.9 (m, 18H), 9.38 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₆ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂ | C 76.64 76.83 H 5.19 5.27 N 10.31 10.26 |
| 92 | 3-Quinolyl | D | THF: PhMe (came out of reaction mixture) | 157 mg 12% | 244.65 | 409 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.81 (s, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 7.29-7.62 (m, 12H), 7.85 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 8.44 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 8.97 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 9.62 (br s, 1H), 11.00 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₀ N ₄ O ₂ | C 73.51 73.48 H 4.93 4.74 N 13.71 13.55 |

| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mol. Wt. | MS | ¹ H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % Theory/Found |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------|----------|-----------------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| | | D | of Cryst. | | | | | | C H N |
| 93 | 6-Quinoliny | | CH ₂ ClN: PhMe | 224 mg 32% | 222.5 | 408 (M ⁺) | DMSO 3.79 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 7.25-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.85-7.93 (m, 2H), 8.14 (d, J=1.4 Hz, 1H), 8.20 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 8.74 (dd, J=1.4, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 9.45 (br s, 1H), 10.95 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₀ N ₄ O ₂ | 73.51 4.94 13.72 73.88 5.09 13.57 |
| 94 | n-Bu | A | chrom | 2.68 g 76% | | 337 (M ⁺) | DMSO 0.86 (t, J=10 Hz, 3H), 1.15 (m, 2H), 1.38 (m, 2H), 3.08 (m, 2H), 3.62 (s, 1H), 5.47 (s, 1H), 7.18 (s, 1H), 7.3-7.46 (m, 10H), 10.52 (s, 1H) | C ₂₀ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 71.19 6.87 12.45 71.33 6.71 12.27 |
| 95 | c-Hexyl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 1.9 g 83% | 152.4 | 363 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 0.8-1.84 (m, 10H), 3.6 (m, 1H), 3.89 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, J=12 Hz, 1H), 5.42 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.45 (m, 10H), 8.66 (s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₂ | 72.70 6.93 11.56 72.59 7.03 11.30 |
| 96 | Cl ₂ Ph | A | chrom | 2.6 g 67% | | 371 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.86 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.31 (dABq, J=8 Hz, Jab=20 Hz, Δν=36 Hz, 2H), 5.50 (m, 1H), 5.51 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.07-7.43 (m, 16H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂ | 74.37 5.70 11.31 74.11 5.77 11.12 |
| 97 | Cl ₂ Ph (N-Me) | M | chrom (EtOAc: hexane) | 380 mg 39% | | 385 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 2.65 (s, 3H), 3.66 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (ABq, J=20 Hz, Δν=72 Hz, 2H), 4.94 (d, J=2 Hz, 1H), 6.9 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.46 (m, 13H), 7.9 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | |
| 98 | Cl ₂ Ph-2-Cl | M | chrom | 149 mg 15% | | 405 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.92 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 4.4 (m, 2H), 5.39 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 5.55 (t, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.43 (m, 14H), 8.48 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ ClN ₃ O ₂ | 68.06 4.97 10.35 68.30 5.13 10.01 |
| 99 | CH ₂ Ph-3-Cl | C | EtOAc: hexane | 750 mg 29% | 133.6 | 405 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.88 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dABq, J=7 Hz, Jab=17 Hz, Δν=48 Hz, 2H), 5.48 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.57 (t, J=7 Hz, 1H), 6.94-7.43 (m, 14H), 8.9 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ ClN ₃ O ₂ | 68.08 4.97 10.35 67.78 5.07 10.46 |
| 100 | Cl ₂ Ph-4-Cl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 182 mg 30% | 124.7 | 405 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.89 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dABq, J=6 Hz, Jab=12 Hz, Δν=42 Hz, 2H), 5.48 (t, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.50 (d, J=5 Hz, 1H), 6.98-7.44 (m, 14H), 8.52 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ ClN ₃ O ₂ | 68.06 4.97 10.35 68.22 5.09 10.15 |

| Ex. | R | Method of Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | M _n · G | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|---|-----------------|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------------|--|---|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 101 | CH(Me)Ph (S) (1:1 mixture of diastereomers - each optically active) ^d | A | chrom | 900 mg 34% | | 385 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 1.32 (q, J=9 Hz, 3H), 3.90 (dd, J=5 Hz, 9 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (q, J=8 Hz, 1H), 5.37 (dd, J=9 Hz, 3H, 1H), 5.45 (t, J=5 Hz, 1H), 7.0-7.44 (m, 15H), 8.53 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 74.78 75.04 | 6.01 6.10 | 10.90 10.94 |
| 102 | Cl(Me)Ph (R) (1:1 mixture of diastereomers - each optically active) ^f | A | chrom | 172 mg 7% | | 385 (M ⁺) | DMSO ^g 1.20 (t, J=6 Hz, 3H), 3.60 (s, 1/2 H), 3.68 (s, 1/2 H), 4.83 (m, 1H), 5.43 (s, 1/2 H), 5.52 (s, 1/2 H), 7.2-7.55 (m, 15H), 10.56 (s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | | | |
| 103 | CH(Me)Ph-4-Br (+/-) (single diastereomer obtained in crystallization) ^g | A | EtOAc: hexane | 670 mg 33% | 145.7 | 463, 485 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 1.41 (d, J=8 Hz, 3H), 3.62 (s, 1H), 4.78 (m, 1H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 7.2-7.62 (m, 15H), 10.56 (s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 62.08 62.27 | 4.78 4.75 | 9.05 8.95 |
| 104 | CH(Me)-1-Naphthyl (R) (c. 3:1 mixture of diastereomers - each optically active) ^h | A | chrom | 137 mg 12% | | 435 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ (peaks for major isomer visible in plot) 1.5 (d, J=9 Hz, 3H), 3.86 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.48 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.74 (m, 1H), 7.06-8.19 (m, 19H) | C ₂₈ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₂ | | | |
| 105 | Cl ₂ Cl ₂ Ph | A | chrom | 720 mg 30% | | 385 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 2.68 (m, 2H), 3.42 (m, 2H), 3.86 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (t, J=5 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.95-7.44 (m, 15H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 74.78 74.49 | 6.01 6.15 | 10.90 10.74 |
| 106 | Cl ₂ Cl ₂ Ph-2-Cl | C | chrom | 2.2 g 63% | | 419 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 2.82 (m, 2H), 3.45 (m, 2H), 3.85 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 5.02 (t, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 6.95-7.4 (m, 14H), 8.58 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 68.65 68.86 | 5.28 5.36 | 10.01 10.01 |
| 107 | Cl ₂ Cl ₂ Ph-4-Cl | C | chrom | 1.5 g 66% | | 419 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 2.83 (m, 2H), 3.40 (m, 2H), 3.86 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (t, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 6.88-7.42 (m, 14H), 8.45 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₄ H ₂₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 68.65 68.84 | 5.28 5.36 | 10.01 9.76 |
| 108 | CH ₂ Cl ₂ Ph | D | chrom (EtOAc: hexane) | 239 mg 48% | | 399 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 1.70 (pentet, J=7 Hz, 2H), 2.48 (t, J=7 Hz, 2H), 3.18 (m, 2H), 3.89 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (br t, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.35 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.02-7.46 (m, 15H), 8.25 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₅ N ₃ O ₂ | 75.16 74.89 | 6.31 6.28 | 10.52 10.27 |



| Example | Method of Prep. | Solvent of Cryst. | Yield, % | M.p. °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | C | H | N | Analysis, % Theory/Found |
|---------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|---------|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|--------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 109 | B | chrom | 75 mg 4% | 160-6 | 397 (M ⁺) | CDC13 2.58-2.82 (m, 2H), 3.37-3.48 (m, 1H), 3.54-3.62 (m, 1H), 3.64 (d, J=2, 1H), 4.37 (d, J=3.5, 2H), 4.95 (d, J=2, 1H), 6.78 (m, 1H), 7.02-7.46 (m, 13H), 8.18 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂ | | | | |



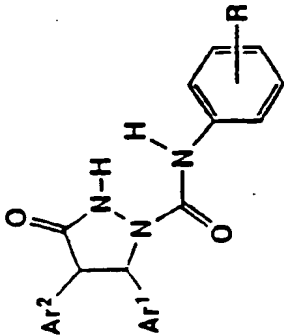
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| Ex. | R1 | R2 | R3 | Meth. Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | | |
|-----|-------|----------|----|-------------|---|---------------|--------|----------|---|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--|
| | | | | | | | | | | | Theory/Found | | | |
| 110 | 4-CF3 | 2-Cl | H | A | EIOAc | 185 mg 19% | | 459 (M+) | DMSO 3.57 (br s, 1H), 5.72 (br s, 1H), 7.14-7.82 (m, 13H), 9.72 (br s, 1H), 11.01 (br s, 1H) | C23H17ClF3N3O2 | 60.07 59.85 | 3.73 3.80 | 9.14 8.82 | |
| 111 | 4-CF3 | 3-CN | H | A | tritirated with PhMe | 1.80g 88% | | 450 (M+) | DMSO 3.90 (br s, 1H), 5.67 (br s, 1H), 7.12-7.98 (m, 13H), 9.63 (br s, 1H), 10.83 (br s, 1H) | C24H17F3N4O2 | 64.00 64.09 | 3.80 3.98 | 12.44 12.26 | |
| 112 | 4-CF3 | 3-OMe | H | A | chrom (2X) with EtOAc: hexane), then tritirated with PhMe: hexane | 160 mg 9% | | 455 (M+) | CDCl3 3.82 (s, 3H), 4.03 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 5.51 (d, J=7 Hz, 1H), 6.92-7.00 (m, 3H), 7.14-7.50 (m, 10H), -0.8 (br s, 1H) | C24H20F3N3O3 | 63.29 63.00 | 4.43 4.38 | 9.23 9.03 | |
| 113 | 4-CF3 | 4-N(Me)2 | H | A | EIOAc: hexane | 95 mg 32% | | 468 (M+) | DMSO 2.90 (s, 6H), 3.73 (br s, 1H), 5.46 (br s, 1H), 6.77 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.40 (m, 7H), 7.62 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 9.42 (br s, 1H), 10.81 (br s, 1H) | C25H23F3N4O2 | 64.10 64.26 | 4.95 5.18 | 11.96 11.71 | |

| Ex. | R1 | R2 | R3 | Meth. Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|-----------------|---------------------|----|-------------|---|---------------|---------|--|---|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | Theory | Found | |
| | | | | | of Cryst. | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 114 | 4-Br | 2-Cl | H | A | PhMe, then EtOAc; hexane | 47 mg 10% | | 469, 471 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.53 (br s, 1H), 5.72 (br s, 1H), 7.12-7.60 (m, 13H), 9.49 (br s, 1H), 10.93 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrClN ₃ O ₂ | 56.13 56.24 | 3.64 3.62 | 8.94 8.82 |
| 115 | 4-Br | 2-OMe | H | A | EtOAc; hexane | 52 mg 17% | | 465, 467 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 3.72 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 5.50 (br s, 1H), 6.87-7.04 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.52 (m, 10H), 9.29 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ BrN ₃ O ₃ | 59.24 59.46 | 4.32 4.23 | 9.01 8.90 |
| 116 | 4-Br (trans) | 2,3-diCl | H | A | Irradiated with Et ₂ O, then CH ₂ Cl ₂ ; hexane (to give CH ₂ Cl ₂ hemi-solvate) | 1.89 g 69% | | 503, 505 (M ⁺ s), 506, 508 (M ⁺ s for Cl, Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.58 (s, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 5.70 (s, 2H for 1/2 CH ₂ Cl ₂), 7.28-7.46 (m, 12H), 9.43 (br s, 1H), 10.91 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₆ BrCl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ • 1/2 CH ₂ Cl ₂ | 49.35 49.60 | 3.13 3.25 | 7.67 7.78 |
| 117 | 4-Br (cis) | 2,3-diCl | H | A | CH ₂ Cl ₂ (2X) | 76 mg 54% | 198-205 | 503, 505, 507 (M ⁺ s for Cl, Br isotopes) | DMSO 5.04 (d, J=10 Hz, 1H), 6.30 (m, 1H), 6.72 (d, J=7 Hz, 2H), 7.00-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.30-7.60 (m, 7H), 9.31 (br s, 1H), 10.70 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₆ BrCl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ | 52.31 52.59 | 3.19 3.27 | 8.32 8.35 |
| 118 | 4-Br | 3-CONH ₂ | H | A | CH ₂ Cl ₂ | 237 mg 45% | 210-3 | 479, 481 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.78 (s, 1H), 5.55 (s, 1H), 7.25-7.59 (m, 12H), 7.80 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J=24 Hz, 2H), 9.28 (s, 1H), 10.78 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₉ BrN ₄ O ₃ | 57.63 57.57 | 4.00 3.96 | 11.69 11.66 |
| 119 | 4-Br | 4-NO ₂ | H | A | EtOAc; PhMe | 343 mg 60% | | 480, 482 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.88 (br s, 1H), 5.69 (br s, 1H), 7.30-7.53 (m, 9H), 7.76 (br d, J=7 Hz, 2H), 8.31 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 9.39 (br s, 1H), 10.93 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrN ₄ O ₄ | 54.90 55.15 | 3.56 3.64 | 11.64 11.55 |

| Ex. | R1 | R2 | R3 | Meth. Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|--------------------------|------|-------------------|-------------|--|---------------|---------|---|--|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 120 | 3-CF ₃ , 4-Cl | 2-Cl | H | A | EtOAc: hexane | 604 mg 44% | | 493, 495 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.58 (br s, 1H), 5.72 (br s, 1H), 7.30-7.50 (m, 7H), 7.56-7.67 (m, 3H), 7.93 (d, J=9 Hz, 1H), 8.15 (br s, 1H), 9.83 (br s, 1H), 11.04 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ | 55.89 55.85 | 3.26 3.21 | 8.50 8.43 |
| 121 | 4-i-Pr | 2-Cl | H | A | EtOAc: hexane | 514 mg 43% | | 434 (M ⁺ 1) | DMSO 1.18 (d, J=7 Hz, 6H), 2.84 (m, J=7 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (br s, 1H), 5.74 (br s, 1H), 7.14-7.64 (m, 13H), 9.27 (br s, 1H), 10.88 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₄ ClN ₃ O ₂ | 69.20 69.00 | 5.58 5.55 | 9.68 9.73 |
| 122 | 4-Br | H | 2-Cl | A | EtOAc | 750 mg 43% | 182-2.5 | 470 (M ⁺ 1) | DMSO 4.16 (br s, 1H), 5.66 (br s, 1H), 7.48-7.88 (m, 13H), 9.56 (br s, 1H), 11.26 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrClN ₃ O ₂ | 56.13 56.35 | 3.64 3.62 | 8.93 8.92 |
| 123 | 4-Br | H | 3-OMe | A | EtOAc: hexane | 520 mg 30% | 154-5 | 467 (M ⁺) | CDCl ₃ 3.72 (s, 3H), 4.94 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.57 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.74-6.88 (m, 3H), 7.04-7.32 (m, 7H), 7.42 (br s, 4H), 9.2 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₃ H ₂₀ BrN ₃ O ₃ | 59.24 59.44 | 4.32 4.39 | 9.01 9.06 |
| 124 | 4-Br | H | 3-O-i-Pr | A | Et ₂ O: hexane | 2.24 g 91% | 148-51 | 493, 495 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | CDCl ₃ 1.22 (t, J=6 Hz, 6H), 3.90 (d, J=4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (septet, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=4.5 Hz, 1H), 6.74-6.82 (m, 3H), 7.08 (dd, J=2, 9 Hz, 2H), 7.19-7.29 (m, 5H), 7.36-7.42 (m, 5H) | C ₂₅ H ₂₄ BrN ₃ O ₃ | 60.74 60.53 | 4.89 4.94 | 8.50 8.70 |
| 125 | 4-Br | H | 3-NO ₂ | A | CH ₂ Cl ₂ : hexane | 1.32 g 48% | 150-1.5 | 480, 482 (M ⁺ s for Br isotopes) | DMSO 4.05 (s, 1H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 7.27-7.52 (m, 9H), 7.66 (t, J=8 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d, J=8, 1H), 8.22 (s, 1H), 9.34 (br s, 1H), 10.95 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrN ₄ O ₄ | 54.90 54.63 | 3.56 3.67 | 11.64 11.74 |
| 126 | 4-Br | H | 3-Cl | A | EtOAc: hexane | 232 mg 27% | 142-3 | 470 (M ⁺ 1) | CDCl ₃ 4.0 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.46 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.87 (br s, 1H), 7.0-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.22-7.54 (m, 10H), 8.78 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₂ H ₁₇ BrClN ₃ O ₂ | 56.13 56.21 | 3.64 3.76 | 8.93 8.84 |

| Ex. | R1 | R2 | R3 | Meth. Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mp, °C | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|-------------|--|---------------|---------|---|---|-----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | C | H | N |
| 127 | 4-Br | H | 3-Br | A | chrom. then triturated with Et2O; hexane | 128 mg 17% | | 515, 517 (M+), 516 (M+, 1 for Br isotopes) | CDCl3 3.94 (br d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 5.46 (br d, J=4 Hz, 1H), 7.04-7.44 (m, 15H) | C22H17Br2N3O2 | 51.29 51.66 | 3.33 3.60 | 8.16 7.88 |
| 128 | 4-Br | H | 4-OMe | A | chrom (EtOAc), then triturated with hexane | 296 mg 34% | | 467 (M+) | CDCl3 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.95 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.49 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.0-7.18 (m, 5H), 7.24-7.5 (m, 7H), 9.1 (br s, 1H) | C23H20BrN3O3 | 59.24 59.30 | 4.32 4.53 | 9.01 8.78 |
| 129 | 4-Br | H | 4-Cl | A | triturated with Et2O | 1.92 g 82% | 172-4.5 | 469, 471, 473 (M+), 470 (M+, 1 for Cl, Br isotopes) | DMSO 3.78 (s, 1H), 5.49 (s, 1H), 7.28-7.50 (m, 13H), 9.22 (br s, 1H), 10.84 (br s, 1H) | C22H17ClBrN3O2 | 56.13 56.03 | 3.64 3.57 | 8.93 9.02 |
| 130 | 4-CF3 | H | 2-Cl | A | triturated with EtOAc; hexane | 260 mg 38% | 178-9 | 459 (M+) | CDCl3 4.4 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.2-7.54 (m, 13H), 7.64 (br s, 1H), 9.48 (br s, 1H) | C23H17CF3N3O2 | 60.07 60.07 | 3.73 3.77 | 9.14 9.18 |
| 131 | 3-CF3, 4-Cl | H | 2-Cl | A | triturated with EtOAc; hexane | 250 mg 34% | 109-10 | 493 (M+) | CDCl3 4.38 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.6 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 7.16-7.66 (m, 12H), 7.86 (br s, 1H), 9.58 (br s, 1H) | C23H16Cl2F3N3O2 | 55.89 55.60 | 3.26 3.24 | 8.50 8.45 |
| 132 | 4-i-Pr | H | 2-Cl | A | EtOAc; hexane | 200 mg 31% | 226-7 | 433 (M+) | DMSO 1.16 (d, J=7 Hz, 6H), 2.82 (m, 1H), 3.92 (br s, 1H), 5.46 (br s, 1H), 7.12 (d, J=12 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.64 (m, 11H), 9.14 (br s, 1H), 10.98 (br s, 1H) | C25H24ClN3O2 | 69.20 69.45 | 5.57 5.60 | 9.68 9.68 |
| 133 | 4-Br | 2-Cl | 2-Cl | A | EtOAc; hexane | 4.32 g 88% | | 505 (M+) | DMSO 4.02 (br s, 1H), 5.75 (br s, 1H), 7.28-7.58 (m, 12H), 9.41 (br s, 1H), 11.06 (br s, 1H) | C22H16BrCl2N3O2 | 52.30 52.07 | 3.19 3.27 | 8.32 8.09 |



| Ex. | R | Ar ¹ | Ar ² | Meth. Prep. | Solvent | Yield, % | Mol. Wt. | MS | 1H NMR | Formula | Analysis, % | | |
|-----|------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|----------|---|---|---|-------------|-------|-------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | Theory | Found | |
| 134 | 4-Br | Ph | 1-Naphthyl | A | EtOAc, then hexane | 1.48 g 61% | 187.9 | 485, 488 (M+1) ^s for Br isotopes | CDCl ₃ 4.70 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 5.59 (d, J=6 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, J=9 Hz, 2H), 7.15-7.52 (m, 12H), 7.70-7.88 (m, 3H), 9.10 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₆ H ₂₀ BrN ₃ O ₂ | 64.21 | 4.15 | 8.64 |
| 135 | 4-Br | 3-Pyridyl | Ph | A | EtOAc (2X), then chrom., then EtOAc | 848 mg 24% | 184.0 | 437, 439 (M+1) ^s for Br isotopes | DMSO 3.84 (s, 1H), 5.56 (s, 1H), 7.23-7.46 (m, 10H), 7.83 (d, J=8 Hz, 1H), 8.53 (dd, J=1.1, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 8.65 (d, J=1.7 Hz, 1H), 9.28 (s, 1H), 10.86 (br s, 1H) | C ₂₁ H ₁₇ BrN ₄ O ₂ | 57.68 | 3.92 | 12.81 |

- a Includes other methods of purification such as chromatography (chrom), titration, and precipitation, as indicated. If only solvents are given, compound was purified by recrystallization from those solvents. For other methods of purification, solvents used follow in parentheses.
- b After recrystallization from EtOAc:hexane.
- c Purified by extraction into 1N NaOH, followed by acidification with 1N HCl and extraction into organic solvent (Et₂O or EtOAc). Evaporation of solvent gave material homogeneous by TLC and of satisfactory purity.
- d Prepared using S-(+)-α-methylbenzylisocyanate.
- e All splitting patterns reported are those apparent upon visual inspection of pbl, and reflect a combination of true proton-proton magnetic couplings, and multiplicity due to presence of a mixture of two diastomers.
- f Prepared using R-(+)-α-methylbenzylisocyanate.
- g Prepared using (L) 4-bromo-α-methylbenzylisocyanate.
- h Prepared using (R) (-)-1-(1-Naphthyl)ethylisocyanate.

Test Procedures for CCK And Gastrin Receptor Binding (IC₅₀)

Brain

Brain CCK receptor binding was performed using mouse brain membranes according to the method of Chang and Lotti (*Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci.* 83: 4923-4926, 1986). Male CF-1 mice, 23-25 g were sacrificed by cervical dislocation, the forebrain removed and placed in ice cold 50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4. The tissue was homogenized in 100 volumes of the Tris buffer with a Brinkman Polytron or Tekmar Tisumizer and then centrifuged at 40,000 g for 10 min. Pellets were resuspended in Tris buffer, centrifuged as above and then resuspended in 100 volumes of assay buffer, pH 6.5 (20 mM N-2-hydroxyethyl-piperazine-N'-2-ethane sulfonic acid (HEPES), 1 mM ethylene glycol bis(2-aminoethyl ether-N,N,N',N'-tetraacetic acid) (EGTA), 5 mM MgCl₂, 130 mM NaCl, and 0.25 mg/ml bacitracin). The binding assay consisted of 50 µL of compound (or buffer for total binding), 50 µL of ¹²⁵I-CCK-8 sulfate (20 pM) (Amersham IM-159), 200 µL of assay buffer and 200 µL of homogenate (80-120 µg protein). The samples were incubated at room temperature (25°) for 2 hours, and they were then filtered through GF/B glass fiber filters (soaked in wash buffer for 2 hours before use) using a 48 well Brandel cell harvester designed for receptor binding. The filters were washed twice with 3 ml of 50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4, containing 0.01% BSA and then counted for radioactivity in plastic tubes with a Micromedic 10/600 automatic gamma counter.

Compounds were dissolved in dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO) at a concentration of 10 mM and then further diluted with assay buffer. The concentration of DMSO in the incubation was 0.1% or less and had no effect on the assay at that level. IC-50 values of displacement curves were determined using 7 concentrations of compound and were calculated using the ALLFIT computer program of DeLean, Munson and Rodbard (*Am. J. Physiol.* 235: E97-E102, 1978). Non-specific binding was determined as the displacement of the radioligand by 100 nM CCK-8 sulfate.

Pancreas

Binding to peripheral type CCK receptors in rat pancreas was done according to the method of Chang et al. (*Mol. Pharmacol.* 30: 212-217, 1986) using ³H-L364, 718. Pancreas was obtained from male Sprague-Dawley rats, 150-200 g, after decapitation, and dissected free from adipose and connective tissue. The tissue was homogenized in 30 volumes of 50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4 and centrifuged at 40,000 g for 10 min. The tissue pellet was washed by resuspension and centrifugation as described above. The final pellet was suspended in 500 volumes of assay buffer (50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4, 5 mM MgCl₂, 0.14 mg/ml bacitracin, and 5 mM dithiothreitol) to give a protein concentration of 30-60 µg/200 µl. Reagent volumes for the assay were the same as those used for CCK binding to brain membranes. Tritium labeled L-364,718 (Dupont NEN, NET-971) was used as the ligand at a concentration of 0.4-0.6 nM. The samples were incubated 1 hour at room temperature and then filtered as described for the CCK-brain receptor. Scintillation cocktail was added to the filters which were counted for radioactivity using a Micromedic Taurus automatic liquid scintillation counter.

Compound samples were prepared and IC-50 values were determined as described for the CCK-brain experiments. Non-specific binding was that amount left bound to the filters after adding 100 nM L-364,718.

Gastric Mucosa

The method used for gastrin binding to guinea pig stomach mucosal membranes was similar to that described by Takeuchi, Speir and Johnson (*Am. J. Physiol.* 237(3): E284-E294, 1979). Guinea pig stomach fundus was obtained from male Hartley guinea pigs, 300-350 g, and the mucosa was scraped off with a glass slide. The mucosa was homogenized in 50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4, containing 1 mM phenylmethanesulfonyl fluoride using a Dounce glass homogenizer, and the suspension was centrifuged at 40,000 g for 10 min. The resulting pellet was resuspended and centrifuged once more, the final pellet was then suspended in 100 ml assay buffer per 1 guinea pig stomach to give a protein concentration of 200-300 µg/200 µl. The assay buffer consisted of 50 mM Tris buffer, pH 7.4, 5 mM MgCl₂, 0.14 mg/ml bacitracin, and 1 µg/ml each of leupeptin, chymostatin, aprotinin and pepstatin. Reagent volumes for the assay were the same as those used for CCK binding to brain membranes. The radioactive ligand was 20 pM ¹²⁵I-gastrin I, from DuPont NEN (NEX-176). The samples were incubated 3 hours at room temperature and filtered and counted as described for CCK binding to brain membranes. Compound samples were prepared and IC-50 values were determined as described for the CCK-brain receptor binding. Non-specific binding was determined using 100 nM gastrin I (human synthetic from Sigma Chemical Co.).

Table II below summarizes representative CCK and gastrin-binding tests results for exemplified com-

pounds in accordance with this invention.

TABLE II
CCK and Gastrin Receptor Binding Data

| Compound of Example No. | IC ₅₀ , μ M, or Percent Inhibition (at 1 or 10 μ M) | | |
|----------------------------|---|----------|---------|
| | Brain | Pancreas | Gastrin |
| 1 | 0.022 | 0.19 | 0.15 |
| 2 | 0.29 | 14(10) | |
| 3 | 0.054 | 34(10) | 1.1 |
| 4 | 0.39 | 78(10) | |
| 5 | 77(10) | 18(10) | |
| 6 | 4.4 | 15(10) | |
| 7 | 1.1 | 81(10) | |
| 8 | 34(10) | 2(10) | |
| 9 | 3.7 | 33(10) | |
| 10 | 57(10) | 4(10) | |
| 11 | 67(10) | | |
| 12 | 0.34 (O-) | 64(10) | |
| 13 | 1.9 (N-) | 55(10) | |
| 14 | 67(10) | | |
| 15 | 2.6 | 60(10) | |
| 16 | 69(10) | 10(10) | |
| 17 | 0.044 | 62(10) | 0.42 |
| 18 | 0.52 | 6(10) | |
| 19 | 0.093 | 22(10) | |
| 20 | 68(10) | 36(10) | |
| 21 | 0.031 | 11.6 | 0.49 |
| 22 | 0.057 | 77(10) | |
| 23 | 42(1) | 27(10) | |
| | 0.49 | 23(10) | |

TABLE II (continued)
CCK and Gastrin Receptor Binding Data

| Compound of Example No. | IC ₅₀ , μ M, or Percent Inhibition (at 1 or 10 μ M) | | |
|----------------------------|---|----------|---------|
| | Brain | Pancreas | Gastrin |
| 24 | 0.15 | 45(10) | |
| 25 | 0.21 | 14(10) | |
| 26 | 0.075 | 47(10) | |
| 27 | 0.23 | 60(10) | |
| 28 | 0.44 | 55(10) | |
| 29 | 0.025 | 47(10) | 0.26 |
| 30 | 0.031 | 49(10) | 0.35 |
| 31 | 54(1) | 71(10) | |
| 32 | 42(1) | 69(10) | |
| 33 | 0.34 | 20(10) | |
| 34 | 1.5 | 12(10) | |
| 35 | 0.39 | 48(10) | |
| 36 | 0.45 | 33(10) | |
| 37 | 82(1) | 75(10) | |
| 38 | 0.056 | 53(10) | 0.24 |
| 39 | 0.33 | 52(10) | |
| 40 | 0.75 | 38(10) | |
| 41 | 57(10) | 21(10) | |
| 42 | 0.78 | 37(10) | |
| 43 | 0.23 | 24(10) | |
| 44 | 0.26 | 67(10) | |
| 45 | 0.022 | 0.16 | |
| 46 | 0.042 | 1.2 | 0.21 |
| 47 | 0.39 | 51(10) | |
| 48 | 0.080 | 98(10) | |
| 49 | 0.043 | 40(10) | 0.25 |
| 50 | 0.013 | 87(10) | 0.081 |
| 51 | 18(1) | 25(10) | |
| 52 | 60(1) | 21(10) | |
| 53 | 1.2 | 17(10) | |
| 54 | 1.15 | 53(10) | |
| 55 | 0.60 | 47(10) | |
| 56 | 25(1) | 15(10) | |
| 57 | 1.0 | 45(10) | |
| 58 | 10(1) | 85(10) | |
| 59 | 44(1) | 75(10) | |
| 60 | 34(10) | 37(10) | |
| 61 | 56(10) | 78(10) | |

TABLE II (continued)
CCK and Gastrin Receptor Binding Data

| 5 | Compound of Example No. | IC ₅₀ , μ M, or Percent Inhibition (at 1 or 10 μ M) | | |
|----|----------------------------|---|----------|---------|
| | | Brain | Pancreas | Gastrin |
| | 62 | 2.2 | 37(10) | |
| 10 | 63 | 0.51 | 0.075 | |
| | 64 | 5.3 | 34(1) | |
| | 65 | 50(10) | 37(10) | |
| | 66 | 40(10) | 23(10) | |
| | 67 | 46(10) | | |
| 15 | 68 | 4.3 | 70(10) | |
| | 69 | 0.5 | 12(10) | |
| | 70 | 13(1) | 36(10) | |
| | 71 | 1.2 | 39(10) | |
| | 72 | 88(10) | 22(10) | |
| 20 | 73 | 16(10) | 20(10) | |
| | 74 | 23(10) | 15(10) | |
| | 75 | 60(10) | 40(10) | |
| | 76 | 55(10) | 4(10) | |
| | 77 | 56(10) | 20(10) | |
| 25 | 78 | 1.8 | 49(10) | |
| | 79 | 43(10) | 9(10) | |
| | 80 | 5.2 | 9(10) | |
| | 81 | 95(10) | 59(10) | |
| | 82 | 23(10) | | |
| 30 | 83 | 37(1) | 12(10) | |
| | 84 | 70(10) | 26(10) | |
| | 85 | 78(10) | 19(10) | |
| | 86 | 1.1 | 58(10) | |
| | 87 | 47(10) | 23(10) | |
| | 88 | 40(10) | 37(10) | |
| 35 | 89 | 34(10) | 21(10) | |
| | 90 | 45(1) | 63(10) | |
| | 91 | 0.010 | 94(10) | 0.062 |
| | 92 | 0.064 | 88(10) | 0.16 |
| | 93 | 0.29 | 75(10) | 0.66 |
| 40 | 94 | 50(10) | | |
| | 95 | 55(10) | 18(10) | |
| | 96 | 42(10) | 13(10) | |
| | 97 | 42(10) | | |
| | 98 | 74(10) | 33(10) | |
| 45 | 99 | 3.3 | 86(10) | |

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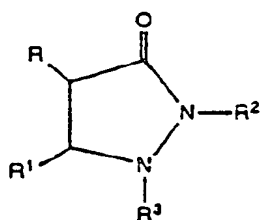
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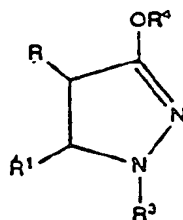
| Compound of Example No. | IC ₅₀ , μ M, or Percent Inhibition (at 1 or 10 μ M) | | |
|----------------------------|---|----------|---------|
| | Brain | Pancreas | Gastrin |
| 100 | 2.2 | 78(10) | |
| 101 | 1.3 | 7(10) | |
| 102 | 4.7 | 11(10) | |
| 103 | 0.87 | 78(10) | |
| 104 | 0.9 | 47(10) | |
| 105 | 0.49 | 43(10) | |
| 106 | 0.19 | 78(10) | 0.87 |
| 107 | 86(10) | 61(10) | |
| 108 | 1.3 | 87(10) | |
| 109 | 6.0 | 11(10) | |
| 110 | 0.007 | 47(10) | 0.13 |
| 111 | 0.020 | 35(10) | 0.61 |
| 112 | 0.072 | 42(10) | 1.4 |
| 113 | 25(1) | 21(10) | |
| 114 | 0.020 | 38(10) | 0.36 |
| 115 | 0.15 | 53(10) | 0.32 |
| 116 | 0.031 | 80(10) | 0.23 |
| 117 | 0.40 | 64(10) | 1.0 |
| 118 | 0.36 | 41(10) | 5.2 |
| 119 | 1.2 | 64(10) | |
| 120 | 0.016 | 87(10) | 0.12 |
| 121 | 0.014 | 26(10) | 0.12 |
| 122 | 0.015 | 8.6 | 0.22 |
| 123 | 0.068 | 23(10) | 0.69 |
| 124 | 0.15 | 36(10) | 0.73 |
| 125 | 0.10 | 42(10) | 0.59 |
| 126 | 0.011 | 59(10) | 0.21 |
| 127 | 0.032 | 73(10) | 0.21 |
| 128 | 0.49 | 39(10) | |
| 129 | 0.16 | 69(10) | 0.86 |
| 130 | 0.012 | 42(10) | 0.10 |
| 131 | 0.012 | 61(10) | 0.062 |
| 132 | 0.008 | 48(10) | 0.070 |
| 133 | 0.006 | 7.9 | 0.025 |
| 134 | 0.033 | 75(10) | 0.093 |
| 135 | 0.14 | 18(10) | 1.7 |

Claims

1. A compound of the formula



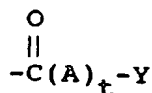
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wherein R and R' are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, phenyl, benzyl, naphthyl, pyridyl or substituted phenyl having 1, 2, or 3 substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₆ alkylthio, halo, trifluoromethyl, phenyl, phenoxy, phenyl(C₁-C₄ alkyl), phenyl(C₁-C₄ alkoxy), phenylacetyl, C₁-C₆ alkanoyl, cyano, carbamyl, nitro, C₁-C₆ alkoxy carbonyl, methylenedioxy, C₃-C₆ alkylene, amino, -NH(C₁-C₄ alkyl or benzyl), and N(C₁-C₄ alkyl)₂;

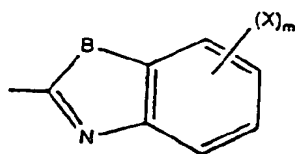
R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, C₁-C₄ alkoxy carbonylmethyl or a group of the formula



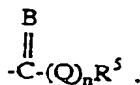
wherein t is 1 or 0; A is -CH₂-, -O-, -NH- or -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-; and Y is phenyl or substituted phenyl as defined above;

R₄ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, or C₁-C₄ alkoxy carbonylmethyl;

R₃ is hydrogen or a group of the formula

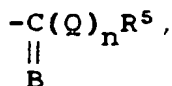


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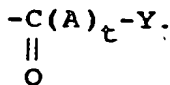


wherein B is O or S; X is selected from the phenyl substituents defined above; m is 0, 1 or 2; n is 0 or 1; Q is -NH-, -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-, -S-, or -O-; and R⁵ is a group of the formula -[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷ wherein R⁶ is hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl; q is 0 or 1; r is 0, 1 or 2; and R⁷ is hydrogen, C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, pentafluorophenyl, pyridyl, tetrahydronaphthyl, indolyl, quinoliny, phenyl, naphthyl, or phenyl or naphthyl substituted with 1, 2, or 3 substituents as defined above for phenyl; or the group -(Q)_nR⁵ is 2-tetrahydroisoquinoliny; and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

provided that at least one of the groups R or R' is other than hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl, and R or R' is hydrogen only when the other of R and R' is substituted phenyl in which the substituent is phenyl; and provided further that at least one of the groups R₂ and R₃ is other than hydrogen, and when R₃ is a group of the formula



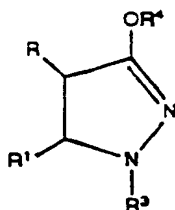
R₂ is other than a group of the formula



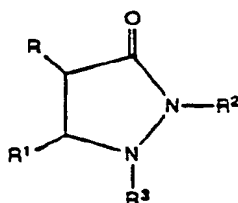
2. A compound as claimed in Claim 1 wherein R and R' are in the trans stereoconfiguration.

3. A compound as claimed in Claim 1 wherein R and R¹ are in the cis stereoconfiguration.

4. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 3 having the formula



5. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 3 having the formula



6. A compound as claimed in Claim 5 wherein R² is a group of the formula -CONHY.

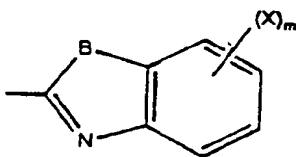
7. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 6 wherein R³ is hydrogen.

8. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 6 wherein R² is methyl or carboxymethyl.

9. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 8 wherein R and R¹ are phenyl or substituted phenyl.

10. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 5 wherein R² is hydrogen.

11. A compound as claimed in Claim 10 wherein R³ is a group of the formula



12. A compound as claimed in Claim 10 or 11 wherein R and R¹ are phenyl.

13. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 10 to 12 wherein B is S.

14. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 10 to 12 wherein B is O.

15. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 10 and 12 to 14 wherein R³ is a group -CB(Q)_n-(CH(R⁶))_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷.

16. A compound as claimed in Claim 15 wherein R³ is -CSNH-(CH(R⁶))_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷.

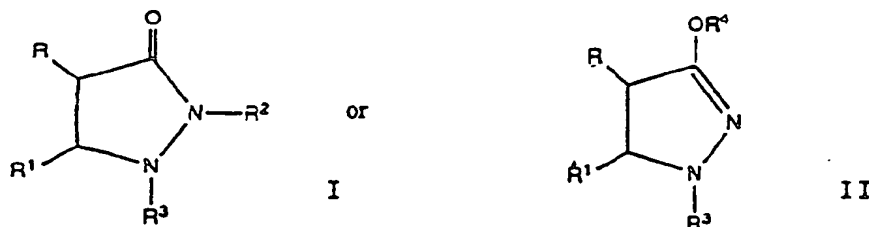
17. A Compound as claimed in claim 15 or 16, wherein q and r are 0 and R⁷ is phenyl or substituted phenyl.

18. A compound as claimed in any one of Claims 15 to 17, wherein R and R¹ are phenyl or substituted phenyl.

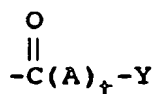
19. A pharmaceutical formulation comprising as an active ingredient an effective amount of a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 18 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, excipient or diluent therefor.

Claims for the following Contracting States : GR and ES

1. A pharmaceutical formulation comprising, as an active ingredient, a compound of the formula



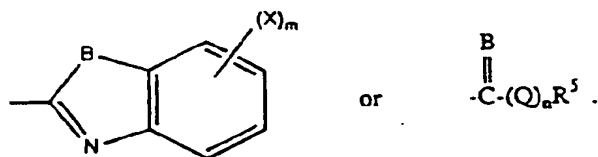
wherein R and R¹ are independently hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, phenyl, benzyl, naphthyl, pyridyl or substituted phenyl having 1, 2, or 3 substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₆ alkylthio, halo, trifluoromethyl, phenyl, phenoxy, phenyl (C₁-C₄ alkyl), phenyl(C₁-C₄ alkoxy), phenylacetyl, C₁-C₆ alkanoyl, cyano, carbamyl, nitro, C₁-C₆ alkoxy-carbonyl, methylenedioxy, C₃-C₆ alkylene, amino, -NH(C₁-C₄ alkyl or benzyl), and N(C₁-C₄ alkyl)₂;
R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, C₁-C₄ alkoxy-carbonylmethyl or a group of the formula



wherein t is 1 or 0; A is -CH₂-, -O-, -NH- or -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-; and Y is phenyl or substituted phenyl as defined above;

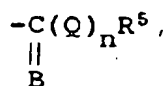
R₄ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, carboxymethyl, or C₁-C₄ alkoxy-carbonylmethyl;

R₃ is hydrogen or a group of the formula

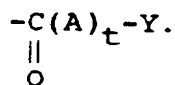


wherein B is O or S; X is selected from the phenyl substituents defined above; m is 0, 1 or 2; n is 0 or 1; Q is -NH-, -N(C₁-C₆ alkyl)-, -S-, or -O-; and R⁵ is a group of the formula -[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷ wherein R⁶ is hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl; q is 0 or 1; r is 0, 1 or 2; and R⁷ is hydrogen, C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, pentafluorophenyl, pyridyl, tetrahydronaphthyl, indolyl, quinoliny, phenyl, naphthyl, or phenyl or naphthyl substituted with 1, 2, or 3 substituents as defined above for phenyl; or the group -(Q)_nR⁵ is 2-tetrahydroisoquinoliny; and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

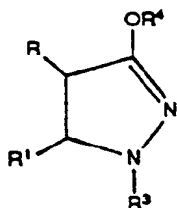
provided that at least one of the groups R or R¹ is other than hydrogen or C₁-C₆ alkyl, and R or R¹ is hydrogen only when the other of R and R¹ is substituted phenyl in which the substituent is phenyl; and provided further that at least one of the groups R₂ and R₃ is other than hydrogen, and when R₃ is a group of the formula



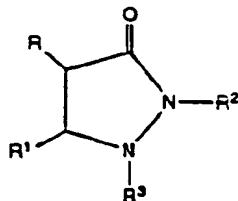
R₂ is other than a group of the formula



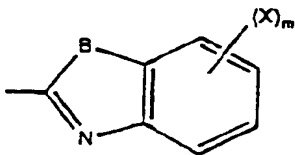
2. A formulation as claimed in Claim 1 wherein R and R¹ are in the trans stereoconfiguration.
3. A formulation as claimed in Claim 1 wherein R and R¹ are in the cis stereoconfiguration.
4. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 3 having the formula



5. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 3 having the formula

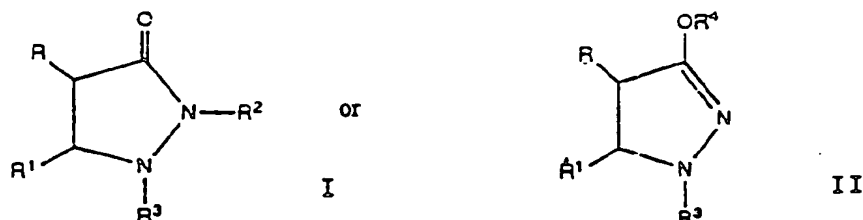


6. A formulation as claimed in Claim 5 wherein R² is a group of the formula -CONHY.
7. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 6 wherein R³ is hydrogen.
8. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 6 wherein R² is methyl or carboxymethyl.
9. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 8 wherein R and R¹ are phenyl or substituted phenyl.
10. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 5 wherein R² is hydrogen.
11. A formulation as claimed in Claim 10 wherein R₃ is a group of the formula



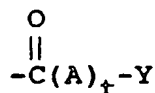
12. A formulation as claimed in Claim 10 or 11 wherein R and R¹ are phenyl.
13. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 10 to 12 wherein B is S.
14. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 10 to 12 wherein B is O.
15. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 10 and 12 to 14 wherein R³ is a group -CB(Q)_n-[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷.

16. A formulation as claimed in claim 15 wherein R^3 is $-\text{CSNH}-[\text{CH}(\text{R}^6)]_q-(\text{CH}_2)_r-\text{R}^7$.
17. A formulation as claimed in Claim 15 or 16, wherein q and r are 0 and R^7 is phenyl or substituted phenyl.
18. A formulation as claimed in any one of Claims 15 to 17, wherein R and R^1 are phenyl or substituted phenyl.
19. A process for producing a compound of the formula



wherein R and R^1 are independently hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, benzyl, naphthyl, pyridyl or substituted phenyl having 1, 2, or 3 substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio, halo, trifluoromethyl, phenyl, phenoxy, phenyl(C_1 - C_4 alkyl), phenyl(C_1 - C_4 alkoxy), phenylacetyl, C_1 - C_6 alkanoyl, cyano, carbamyl, nitro, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy-carbonyl, methylenedioxy, C_3 - C_6 alkylene, amino, $-\text{NH}(\text{C}_1$ - C_4 alkyl or benzyl), and $\text{N}(\text{C}_1$ - C_4 alkyl) $_2$;

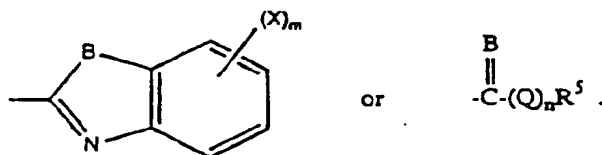
R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, carboxymethyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonylmethyl or a group of the formula



wherein t is 1 or 0; A is $-\text{CH}_2-$, $-\text{O}-$, $-\text{NH}-$ or $-\text{N}(\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl)-; and Y is phenyl or substituted phenyl as defined above;

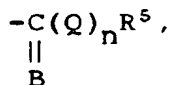
R_4 is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, carboxymethyl, or C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonylmethyl;

R_3 is hydrogen or a group of the formula

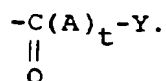


wherein B is O or S ; X is selected from the phenyl substituents defined above; m is 0, 1 or 2; n is 0 or 1; Q is $-\text{NH}-$, $-\text{N}(\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl)-, $-\text{S}-$, or $-\text{O}-$; and R^5 is a group of the formula $-\text{CH}(\text{R}^6)]_q-(\text{CH}_2)_r-\text{R}^7$ wherein R^6 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl; q is 0 or 1; r is 0, 1 or 2; and R^7 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_8 alkyl, C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl, pentafluorophenyl, pyridyl, tetrahydronaphthyl, indolyl, quinoliny, phenyl, naphthyl, or phenyl or naphthyl substituted with 1, 2, or 3 substituents as defined above for phenyl; or the group $-(\text{Q})_n\text{R}^5$ is 2-tetrahydroisoquinoliny; and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof;

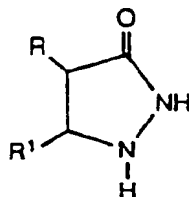
provided that at least one of the groups R or R^1 is other than hydrogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl, and R or R^1 is hydrogen only when the other of R and R^1 is substituted phenyl in which the substituent is phenyl; and provided further that at least one of the groups R_2 and R_3 is other than hydrogen, and when R_3 is a group of the formula



R_2 is other than a group of the formula



which comprises acylating or alkylating a 3pyrazolidinone of the formula

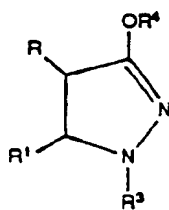


under neutral or basic conditions with an acylating or alkylating agent selected to give the desired compound.

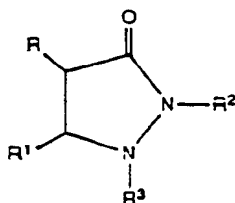
20. A process as claimed in Claim 19 wherein R and R' are in the trans stereoconfiguration.

21. A process as claimed in Claim 19 wherein R and R' are in the cis stereoconfiguration.

22. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 21 having the formula



23. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 21 having the formula



24. A process as claimed in Claim 23 wherein R² is a group of the formula -CONHY.

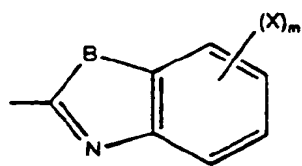
25. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 24 wherein R³ is hydrogen.

26. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 24 wherein R² is methyl or carboxymethyl.

27. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 26 wherein R and R' are phenyl or substituted phenyl.

28. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 19 to 23 wherein R² is hydrogen.

29. A process as claimed in Claim 28 wherein R₃ is a group of the formula



30. A process as claimed in Claim 28 or 29 wherein R and R¹ are phenyl.

31. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 28 to 30 wherein B is S.

32. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 28 to 30 wherein B is O.

33. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 28 and 30 to 32 wherein R³ is a group -CB(Q)_n-[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷.

34. A process as claimed in Claim 33 wherein R³ is -CSNH-[CH(R⁶)]_q-(CH₂)_r-R⁷.

35. A process as claimed in Claim 33 or 34, wherein q and r are 0 and R⁷ is phenyl or substituted phenyl.

36. A process as claimed in any one of Claims 33 to 35, wherein R and R¹ are phenyl or substituted phenyl.



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